


TOWN OF NATICK ANNUAL REPORT 1976



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196th Annual Report

of the

TOWN OF NATICK MASSACHUSETTS



for the

Year ending December 31

1976



Winners in the 1975 Town Report Cover Contest, all Natick High School students, are (from left) Pamela Cooke, second prize; Ross Berman, first prize; Cheryl Giorgio, third prize.

The 1976 Town Report Cover Contest
Winner is Karen Perilli

Tied for second and third prizes
are Elizabeth Carroll (right)
and Julie Elman (below).



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TALENT BANK APPLICATION

BOARD OF SELECTMEN
Natick Town Office Building
17 West Central Street
Natick, Massachusetts 01760

NAME _____ TELEPHONE _____

ADDRESS _____ PRECINCT _____
no. street town zip

OCCUPATION _____ EMPLOYER/SCHOOL _____

BUSINESS ADDRESS _____ TELEPHONE _____

PAID EXPERIENCE _____

VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE _____

SKILLS, INTERESTS, HOBBIES _____

OTHER BACKGROUND (education, training, licenses, professional registration)

AVAILABILITY: School year _____ Summer _____ As needed _____

TIME: Days _____ Evenings _____ Weekends _____ As needed _____

Indicate Areas of Interest

- | | |
|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Conservation, ecology, land use | <input type="checkbox"/> Human relations |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Industrial development | <input type="checkbox"/> Public relations/promotion |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Planning, traffic, transportation | <input type="checkbox"/> Statistical work, surveys |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Library | <input type="checkbox"/> Personnel |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Housing, rent studies | <input type="checkbox"/> Finance Committee |
| <input type="checkbox"/> School activities, education | <input type="checkbox"/> Public celebrations, parades |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Health, counseling, consultant, | <input type="checkbox"/> Historical Commission |
| <input type="checkbox"/> ambulance | <input type="checkbox"/> Public works, solid waste disposal, |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Parks & recreation, youth work | <input type="checkbox"/> water & sewerage, construction highways |
| <input type="checkbox"/> facilities | <input type="checkbox"/> Purchasing, commodity materials expertise |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Council for the Aging | <input type="checkbox"/> Special study committees |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Business systems, data processing | <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____ |

SPECIAL INTEREST _____

GENERAL STATISTICS

Natick was incorporated as a Town on February 19, 1781.

Location: 18 miles west of Boston.

Registered Voters (December 31, 1976)

Population: 31,192

Democratic	7,001
Republican	2,552
American	11
Unenrolled	8,090
Total	17,654

Area: 15.99 square miles

Assessed Valuation (1/1/76)

Real Estate: \$187,401,470.

Personal Property: 7,965,900.

Tax Rate: \$86.00 per thousand

Total \$194,563,200.

Town Offices:

Town Office Building, 17 West Central Street

Tax Collector: 8 East Central Street

Town Clerk: 10 East Central Street

State Senator: Edward L. Burke, Framingham (1st Middlesex & Norfolk Dist.)

United States Senators: Edward M. Kennedy and Edward W. Brooke

Representative in Congress: Margaret M. Heckler, Wellesley
(Tenth Congressional District)

Representatives in General Court: Walter T. Burke and Louis R. Nickinello
(54th and 55th Middlesex Dists.)

Member of Executive Council: George F. Cronin, Jr. (Second Councillor Dist.)

Voting Qualifications: Must be 18 years of age on or before election day, born in the United States or fully naturalized; a resident of Natick.

Registration of Voters: (1) Town Clerk's Office, 10 East Central Street, daily, 8:30 A.M. to 5:00 P.M.; Monday evening, 7:30 to 8:30. (2) Special sessions previous to all elections.

Where to Vote, (Precincts)

- Kennedy Junior High School, 163 Mill Street (1)
- Cole School, 179 Boden Lane (2)
- Natick High School, 15 West Street (3)
- Murphy School, 153 North Main Street (4)
- Wilson Junior High, 24 Rutledge Road (5)
- East Natick School, 90 Oak Street (6)
- Lilja School, Corner Oak and Bacon Streets (7)
- Center School, 13 East Central Street (8)
- Johnson School, 99 South Main Street (9)
- Memorial School, 107 Eliot Street (10)

Tax Bills: Due and payable on or before July 1. All betterments and assessments and the first half of the property remaining unpaid after November 1 are subject to 8% interest from October 1. The second half if not paid by May 1 is subject to 8% interest from April 1.

1977 STREET INDEX

NATICK

PRECINCT — STREET MAP

EFFECTIVE JANUARY 1, 1977

PREC	POLLING LOCATION
1	Kennedy Junior High School Mill Street
2	Cole Elementary School Boden Lane
3	Natick High School West Street
4	Murphy Elementary School North Main Street
5	Wilson Junior High School Rutledge Road
6	East Natick Elementary School Oak Street
7	Lilja Elementary School Corner Oak and Bacon Streets
8	Center Elementary School East Central Street
9	Johnson Elementary School South Main Street
10	Memorial Elementary School Eliot Street

- A - Prec.

Abbott Rd	6
Alden St	6
Alger St	10
Allen Ct	8
Allen St	9
Ambler Ct	10
Appleton Rd	5
Aqueduct Rd	10
Arcadia Rd	4
Archer Dr	1
Arlington Cir	6
Arlington Rd	6
Arthur St	8
Ash St	4

- B -

Bacon St	4
#268 and up(even)	
#273 and up(odd)	

Bacon St	7
#2 thru 112(even)	
#1 thru 265(odd)	
Bacon St	8
#114 thru 260(even)	
Badger Av	10
Barnesdale Rd	1
Bass Rd	6
Bass Terr	6
Bay State Rd	7
Beacon St	8
Beaconsfield Dr	8
Beaver Dam Rd	1
Bee St	9
Bellevue Rd	4
Belmore Rd	1
Bennett St	3
Beverly Rd	6
Bigelow Av	4
Birch Rd	4
Bishop St	2
Blueberry Hill Rd	1
Boden La	1
#173 & 175	
Boden La	2
#2 thru 204	
Bolser Av	3
Borden Rd	7
Bradford Rd	5
Braemore Rd	2
Brigham Ct	7
Broads Av	10
Brook St	10
Brookdale Rd	2
Browning Rd	6
Buckingham Rd	1
Burning Tree Rd	2
Buena Vista Rd	6
Bunker La	3
Byron Rd	6

- C -

Cabot St	6
Carlisle Terr	7
Carlson Terr	3
Carver Hill Ct	10
Cecil Rd	1
Cedar Av	3
Cedar Gardens	3
Cedar St	10
Cedar Terr	3
Cemetery St	3
Centre St	6
Chalcom Cir	10
Charles St	8
Cheryl Rd	1
Chester St	9
Chestnut St	8
Chrysler Rd	1
Church St	9
Churchill Rd	8
Circular Av	9
Clarendon St	8
Claybrook Rd	10
Clearview Dr	9
Clifton Rd	1
Clover La	10
Clubhouse La	6

Cochituate St	4
Colburn St	9
Coleman Ct	4
College Rd	7
Collins Av	3
Columbia Av	1
Common St	9
Commonwealth Rd	6
Concord Place	9
Concord St	9
Connecticut Av	6
Coolidge Av	9
Cooper Rd	6
Cottage St	9
#3 thru 43(odd)	
#2 thru 56(even)	
Cottage St	10
#62 thru 188(even)	
#45 thru 189(odd)	
Countryside Rd	10
Court St	8
Craft Rd	6
Craigle St	9
Crescent St	1
Crest Rd	4
Cross St	9
Curtis Rd	1
Curve St	3
(even)	
Curve St	9
(odd)	
Cypress Rd	4

- D -

D Street	2
Darby Ct	5
Dartmouth St	4
Deerfield La	7
Dewey St	8
Digren Rd	7
Doncaster Dr	1
Donovan La	7
Dover Rd	10
Draper St	3
Drury La	5
Durant Rd	3
Dwight Av	5

- E -

East St	9
East Central St	7
#96 to Wellesley	
#119 to Wellesley	
East Central St	8
#10 thru 72(even)	
East Central St	9
odd # thru 65	
East Evergreen Rd	5
Eden St	2
Edgewood Av	9
Edwards Rd	1
Eisenhower Av	7
Eliot Hill Rd	10
Eliot St	10
Elm St	9
Elmwood Av	9
#4 thru 28(even)	

Elmwood Av 10
 #3 thru 35(odd)
 Elwin Rd 2
 Emerson St 5
 Erlandson Rd 7
 Ernest Dr 10
 Euclid Av 6
 Euclid Cir 6
 Evans Dr 4
 Everett St 10
 Evergreen Rd 4

- F -

Fairview Av 3
 Farrant Rd 5
 Farwell St 10
 Felch Rd 5
 Fern St 3
 Ferndale Rd 5
 Ferrin Ct 9
 Fifth St. 4
 First St. 4
 Fisher St 4
 Fiske La. 3
 Fiske St. 3
 Floral Av 9
 Floral Av Ext 9
 Florence St 8
 Flynn St 5
 Foley Dr 4
 Forest Av 3
 Forest Av Ext 3
 Forest St 3
 Foskett Ct 8
 Fox Hill Dr 6
 Frances Av 1
 Franconia Av 8
 Franklin St 8
 Front St 10
 Frost St 6

- G -

Gannett Rd 6
 Garden Rd 2
 Garfield St 9
 Gibbs St 6
 Gibson Rd 2
 Gilbert Rd 8
 Glen St 10
 Glenwood St 10
 Gordon Rd 5
 Granby Rd 1
 Grandview St 9
 Grant St 9
 Green St 3
 Greenleaf Rd 2
 Greenwood Rd 1
 Grove Rd 6
 Grove St 8

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Halsey Way 7
 Hammon Rd 4
 Hammond Rd Ext 4

Hampshire Dr 5
 Hampton Rd 1
 Harding Rd 2
 Hardwick Rd 1
 Harp Ct 10
 Harrison St 4
 Hartford Cir 1
 Hartford St 1
 #1 thru 227(odd)
 #2 thru 134(even)
 Hartford St 2
 #146 thru 218(even)

Harvard St 8
 Harvard St Ext 8
 Harwood Cir 6
 Harwood Rd 6
 Hawthorne St 7
 Hayes St 8
 Heidi La 4
 Hemlock Dr 2
 Herbert Rd 3
 Heritage La 4
 Hickory Rd 5
 High St(odd) 3
 High St(even) 9
 High St Ext 3
 Highland St 8
 Hill St 2
 Hillcrest Av 10
 Hillside Rd 8

Home Av 2
 Hovey Av 6
 Howe St 2
 Hudson St 3
 Hume St 8
 Hunters Hill Ct 4
 Hunters La 9
 Huntington St 5

- I -

Indian Ridge Rd 10
 Indian Rock Dr 6
 Ingleside Rd 6
 Irving Rd 5
 Ivy La 2

- J -

Jackson Ct 4
 James Av 2
 Jameson St 10
 Jefferson St 9
 Jennings Pond Rd(odd) 6
 Jennings Pond Rd(even) 7
 Judith Rd 4
 Juniper La 9

- K -

Kansas St 4
 Keane Rd 6
 Keane Terr 6
 Kendall La 2
 Kimball Ct 9
 Kinsman Pl 8
 Knox Ct 9
 Kelsey Rd 1

- L -

Laconia Rd(even) 6
 Laconia Rd(odd) 7
 Lacosta Dr 2
 LaGrange St 4
 Lake St 4
 Lakeside Av 6
 Lakeshore Rd 4
 Lakeview Av 3
 Lakeview Gardens 4
 Lakewood Rd 4
 Lantern La 10
 Larchwood La 2
 Larkspur Way 2
 Laurie La 5
 Leach La 10
 Ledge La 10
 Ledge Rd 8
 Leighton St 5
 Leland Rd 6
 Lena Rd 3
 Lenox St 4
 Liberty St 5
 Lincoln Cir 9
 Lincoln Pl 8
 Lincoln St 9
 From E. Central St
 Lincoln St 10
 From Eliot St South
 Lincoln St Ext 9
 Linden St 7
 Linwood Rd 2
 Lodge La 1
 Lodge Rd 1
 Lois St 8
 Loker St 4
 Longfellow Rd 6
 Longview St 2
 Lookout Av 2
 Lotus Path 4
 Lowell Rd 4
 Lupine Rd 7
 Lyman St 5
 Lynn St 1

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MacArthur Rd 7
 Madison St 9
 Madonna St 2
 Magnolia Rd 4
 Maine Av 6
 Malden St 9
 Manchester Pl 7
 Manor Av 6
 Mansfield St 7
 Maple Av 9
 Maple St 9
 Marion St(odd) 7
 Marion St(even) 8
 Mark St 5
 Marshall Av 2
 Marshall Rd 7
 Massachusetts Av 6
 Mathew Ct 10
 Meadow St 4
 Megonko Rd 4
 Melvin Rd 6
 Merifield La 10

Merrill Rd 10
Michael Terr 10
Middle St 8
Middlesex Av 4
Milford Av 6
Milk St 9
Mill St 1
#73 to end
Mill St 2
lowest # thru 60
Millbrook Rd 2
Mohegan Trail 2
Moore St 3
Morency St 2
Morningside Av 10
Morse La 10
Morse St 9
Mulligan St 8
Murdock Rd 7

- N -

Naples Rd 6
Nelson Ct 9
Nelson St 9
Nern St 8
New Rd 4
New Hampshire Av 6
Nimitz Cir 7
Nobby La 9
Nolin St 2
North Av 8
North Main St 4
even #'s
North Main St 5
#209 and up(odd)
North Main St 7
#165 thru 179(odd)
North Main St 8
#1 thru 163(odd)
Nottingham Dr 1

- O -

Oak St 5
#224 to 248(even)
Oak St 6
#66 thru 174(even)
#71 thru 251(odd)
Oak St 7
#1 thru 57(odd)
#2 thru 44(even)
Oak Hill Rd 6
Oak Knoll Rd 4
Oakland St 3
Oakland St Ext 3
Oakridge Av 7
Olivier St 2
Oliver S 2
Orchard Rd 6
Otis St 6
Overbrook Terr 6
Overhill Rd 8
Overlook Rd 6
Oxbow Rd 2
Oxford St 6

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Palmer Av 9

Pamela Rd 6
Park Av 7
#62 thru 88
Park Av 8
#1 thru 61
Park St 9
Parker Ct 4
Parkman St 8
Parkview St 9
Patton Dr 7
Paul St 6
Pauline Dr 7
Payson Rd 8
Pearl St 9
Pegan La 10
Pelham Rd 1
Perry Rd 4
Peterson Rd 6
Phillips St 10
Pickerel Rd 6
Pilgrim Rd(odd) 1
Pilgrim Rd(even) 2
Pine St 5
#1 thru 89(odd)
#2 thru 182(even)
Pine St 6
#93 thru 169(odd)
Pinehurst Av 2
Pineridge Rd 6
Pinewood Av 10
Pitts St 9
Plain St 9
Pleasant St(north) 7
Pleasant St(south) 10
Pleasant View Rd 6
Point St 3
Pond Rd 10
Pond St 3
#78 and up
Pond St 9
#22 thru 75
Porter Rd 1
Possum Hollow La 1
Preble St 3
Prescott Av 2
Princeton Rd 6
Proctor St 3
Pryor Rd 5
Prospect St 2
Pumpkin Pine Rd 2
Purington Av 1

- Q -

Quince St 3

- R -

Randall Ct 4
Ranger Rd 2
Rathbun Rd 6
Ray St 6
Retrop Rd 7
Reynolds Av 3
Rice St 8
Richard Rd 5
Richmond Rd 7
Ridge Av 1
River St 10
River Bend Drive 10

Robinhood Rd 1
Rockland St 10
Rockridge Rd 10
Rockwood Rd 9
Rolling La 7
Roundwood Rd 7
Roxbury Av 3
Russell Cir 5
Rutledge La 5
Rutledge Rd 5

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Saint Mary's Dr 10
Sassamon Rd 10
Sawin St 8
Scarsdale Rd 9
Schaller St 10
School St 9
School St Ext 9
Second St 4
Shady Oak La 2
Shattuck St 8
Sheffield Rd 5
Sheridan St 9
Sherman St 9
Sherwood Rd 1
Shore Rd 6
Shore Terr 6
South Av 8
South St 10
South Main St 3
#115 to Sherborn(odd)
South Main St 9
#7 thru 113(odd)
even thru 120
South Main St 10
#122 to Sherborn(even)
Speen St 1
#142 and up
Speen St 2
#4 thru 104(even)
Speen St 3
#5 thru 111(odd)
Spooner Av 2
Spring St 4
Spring Valley Rd 5
Spruce La 2
Stacey St 2
Stagg Dr. 1
Stanley St 5
Stetson Rd 1

Steven Cir 7
Stillman St Ext 2
Stonebridge Cir 2
Stratford Rd 5
Strawberry Hill Rd. 7
Summer St 4
Summit Rd 8
Sunnyside Rd 4
Sunset Path 4
Sunshine Av 6
Surrey La 1
Sylvester Rd 3
Sylvia Av 2

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Tamarack Rd 2

Taylor Av 4
 Temple St 4
 Terrace Rd 7
 Terrane Av 5
 Third St 4
 Thompson Ct 9
 Tibbetts St 8
 Timber La 1
 Tournament Rd 2
 Tower Ct 8
 Traverse Rd 7
 Travis Rd 1
 Tucker St 3
 Tyler Ct 4

- U -

Upland Rd 6
 Union St 7
 #20 thru 124(even)
 Union St 9
 #5 thru 135(odd)
 Union St 10
 #139 and up
 University Dr 7

- V -

Vale St 8
 Valley Rd 4
 Vermont Av 6
 Vernon Rd 1
 Vesta Rd 4
 Virginia Rd 1

- W -

Waban St 9
 Walcott St 9
 Walkup Ct 7
 Walnut Av 7
 Walnut St 7
 #94 thru 156(even)
 #97 thru 145(odd)
 Walnut St 8
 #1 thru 95
 Walnut Park Rd 6
 Waring Rd 5
 Warren Rd 10
 Washburn Ct 9
 Washington Av 4
 Washington St 8
 Water St 10
 Watson St 2
 Wayside Rd 10
 Webster St 9
 Wedgewood Rd 5
 Wellesley Av 2
 Wellesley Rd 6
 Wellesley Rd Ext 6
 Wells St 6
 Wentworth Rd 5
 West St 3
 West Central St 2
 #160 and up
 West Central St 3
 #72 thru 122(even)
 plus #113
 West Central St 4
 #11 thru 107(odd)
 West Central St 9
 #2 thru 64(even)

Western Av 9
 Westfield Rd 1
 Westlake Rd 5
 Westview Av 9
 Westview Terr 9
 Westwood Rd 6
 Wethersfield Rd 5
 Whalen La 9
 Wheeler La 5
 Whitcomb St 3
 Whitney Cir 6
 Whitridge Rd 10
 Whittier Rd 6
 Whittier Rd Ext 6
 Wildford Rd 10
 Wildwood Pl 1
 Willow St 8
 Wilogreen Rd 7
 Wilson Dr 2
 Wilson St 9
 Winch Way 8
 Windsor Av 3
 Winnemay St 8
 Winslow Rd 7
 Winter St 6
 Woodcock Path 10
 Woodland St(even) 9
 Woodland St(odd) 10
 Woodbine Rd 2
 Woodleigh Rd 10
 Woods Ct 8
 Worcester St 6
 (even)# to 244
 (odd) # to 547
 Worcester St 7
 #538 thru 840(even)
 Worcester St 5
 #549 to 817(odd)
 Worcester St 4
 #891 to 1141(odd)
 #892 to 1080(even)
 Worcester St 1
 #1143 and up(odd)
 to Framingham line
 #1220 and up(even)
 to Framingham line

- Y -

Yorkshire Dr 5
 Yuba Pl 8

- Z -

Zoar St 9



LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS OF NATICK

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ELECTED TOWN OFFICERS

		Term <u>Expires</u>
BOARD OF SELECTMEN	Peter H. Garland	1977
	Alfred B. Grassey (deceased)	1977
	Erica E. Ball	1978
	William H. White	1978
	Daniel J. O'Leary, Chairman	1979
BOARD OF ASSESSORS	Nicholas Arthur, Chairman	1977
	John D. Sowles	1978
	Charles W. Emanuelli	1979
BOARD OF HEALTH	John E. Goodman, D.M.D.	1977
	James J. Mulligan, D.M.D.	1978
	Frank A. East, M.D., Chairman	1979
CONSTABLES	Mary B. Ames	1977
	Herman F. Brown	1977
	Richard F. Kelley	1977
	Helen M. McCormack	1977
	William B. Rogers	1977
	Pompilio F. Zullo	1977
HOUSING AUTHORITY	Thomas L. Huddy, (State App.)	1976
	James M. White	1978
	P. Joseph Coan, Chairman	1979
	Edward J. Hurst	1980
	Linda Saulnier	1981
LEONARD MORSE HOSPITAL BOARD OF TRUSTEES	Richard H. Potter	1977
	Robert E. Doherty, President	1978
	Rosalie Simeone	1979
	Mary R. Leavitt	1980
	Catherine G. Matzilevich	1981
	Walter L. Burke	1982
	Joanne T. O'Brien	1983
MODERATOR	Joel Rome (deceased)	1977
MORSE INSTITUTE BOARD OF TRUSTEES	James F. Carlin	1978
	William F. Bigelow, Ret.	1978
	William H. Carey	1978
	Andrew B. Goodspeed	1978
	Henri Prunaret, President	1978
PLANNING BOARD	James M. Williamson, Chairman	1977
	Robert W. Eisenmenger	1978
	Paul E. Kelley	1979
	Milton E. Gilbert	1980
	Kathleen D. Surman	1981

		<u>Term Expires</u>
PUBLIC WORKS COMMISSIONERS	Samuel A. Crisafulli, Chairman	1977
	Burtis E. Hawes, Jr.	1978
	John F. Kelley (deceased)	1979
RECREATION COMMISSION	Patrick J. Moynihan, Chairman	1977
	Ronald V. Ordway	1977
	Betty S. O'Brien	1978
	Elsie J. Millett	1979
	John M. Stygles	1979
REDEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY	*Edith Alpers	1977
	Gerard F. Higgins	1978
	Steven E. Adams	1979
	Jeanne A. James (State App.)	1981
	E. Davis Woodbury, Chairman	1981
SCHOOL COMMITTEE	Paul S. Ambler, Chairman	1977
	Pamela J. Kaufmann	1977
	Paul R. Peters	1977
	Dight W. Crain	1978
	John P. Whittaker	1978
	Kirk Joslin	1979
	J. Vincent Saunders	1979
TREE WARDEN and INSECT AND PEST CONTROL SUPERINTENDENT	George H. Wallace	1977
TOWN CLERK	Edward W. Devereaux	1977
TOWN COLLECTOR	Donald F. Atherton	1978
TOWN TREASURER	Donald F. Atherton	1977

* Appointed until 1977 Annual Town Election

TOWN OFFICERS APPOINTED BY THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN

Civil Defense Director	Joseph Poshefko	
Ass. Civil Defense Dir.	John A. Morris	
Comptroller	John B. Jennings	1977
Director of Veterans' Ser.	Michael J. Torti	1977
Dog Officer	Nicholas J. Mastro	1977
Asst. Dog Officer	Donald Cook, Jr.	1977
Dep. Dog Officer	Andrew V. Cecchi	1977
	Robert Graham	1977
	Ronald Zicko	1977

		<u>Term Expires</u>
Executive Secretary	A. Russell Harris, Jr.	1977
Fire Department Chief	Richard D. Fahey	C.S.
Inspector of Buildings	Frederick L. Sanford, Jr.	C.S.
Local Building Inspector	John P. DeToma	C.S.
Labor Relations Counsel	Laurent E. Caron	
Lock-Up Keeper	John Arena	1977
Parking Meter Maintenance	Leo A. Flynn	
Planning Director	James L. Freeman	1979
Police Department Chief	John Arena	C.S.
Rep. to Boston Harbor Citizens' Advisory Committee	Shirley Brown	
Rep. to E.P.A. Citizens' Advisory Committee	Shirley Brown	
Rep. to Greater Framingham Mental Health Association	Edna B. Coleman	1977
Rep. to Joint Regional Transportation Committee	Elizabeth A. Bransfield	
Rep. to M.B.T.A. Advisory Board	Elizabeth A. Bransfield	
Rep. to Metropolitan Area Planning Council	Elizabeth A. Bransfield	1977
Rep. to Middlesex County Advisory Board	Erica E. Ball	
Rep. to 128 West Resource Recovery Council	Donald Riven	
Rep. to S.M.O.C.	Erica E. Ball	1977
Sealer of Weights and Measures (provisional)	Ronald V. Ordway	C.S.
Town Counsel	Jerry J. DiGeronimo	1977
Veterans' Burial Officer	Michael J. Torti	1977
Wiring Inspector	Robert J. Doran	
Dep. Wiring Inspector	Charles W. Emanuelli	1977
C.S. - Civil Service		

COMITTEES APPOINTED BY THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN

BEAUTIFICATION COMMITTEE	Ernest C. Balcom, Chairman	1978
	Jane E. Goodspeed	1978
	Goldie E. Johns	1978
	Charles A. Kearney	1978
	Mary J. Kelly	1978

		<u>Term Expires</u>
BICENTENNIAL COMMITTEE	Delight Clay Edna B. Coleman Robert D. Coleman Winifred M. Coleman Anthony M. Damplo Edward W. Devereaux Rita M. Doran, Chairman Arthur B. Fair, Jr. Peter H. Garland	George Lamprey Alfred A. Maffeo Barach Margolin Paul V. McMahon John A. Morris Ruth C. Peinze Michael J. Rourke Mary Ellen Womboldt
BOARD OF APPEALS	Oscar Zullo Philip M. Quatrale, Chairman Edward A. Herosian Marvin R. Gould Robert T. Gammons Associate Members William J. Reynolds Lois N. Talis Myron Douglas	1977 1978 1979 1980 1981 1977 1978 1979
BOARD OF REGISTRARS	William J. Sweeney (Dem.) Walter S. Peterson (Rep.) Joseph M. Connolly (Dem.) Edward W. Devereaux (Rep.) Town Clerk	1977 1978 1979
CENTRAL FIRE STATION RELOCATION SITE COMMITTEE	William Brown, Chairman Bruce W. Danskin Robert W. Eisenmenger Richard D. Fahey Alfred B. Grassey Harold F. McCormick Hawley D. Thomas	
COLLECTOR-TREASURER COMMITTEE	Edith Alpers, Chairman Donald F. Atherton, <u>ex. off.</u> Douglas Bell, <u>ex. off.</u> Harvey J. Beth Harold F. DeBruyn Bruce A. Hauck George A. Trump	
COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT ADVISORY COMMITTEE	Theresa A. Crespi Walter W. Mode Linda Saulnier Linda C. Sussman, Chairman	

		<u>Term Expires</u>
CONSERVATION COMMISSION	George H. Wallace	1977
	Donald Brown	1977
	S. Anthony Simeone	1977
	Shirley Brown	1978
	Richard A. Foley, Chairman	1978
	Robert R. Capobianco	1979
	A. Richard Miller	1979
COUNCIL ON AGING	Henry Dowst	1977
	Mary Gray	1977
	Lena Sauro	1977
	Merle Matthews	1978
	Theresa Mitchell	1978
	Michael Torti	1978
	Gladys Adams	1979
	George Buchan	1979
	Katherine L. Kennedy, Chairman	1979
	Walter F. Flannery	1979
	*Ronald V. Ordway	
DATA PROCESSING STUDY COMMITTEE	Donald F. Atherton, <u>ex. off.</u>	
	Erica E. Ball, <u>ex. off.</u>	
	David H. Dimmick	
	Arthur Geissler, Jr.	
	Paul F. Ladd, Chairman	
	Kenneth Levitt	
	Alexander A. Malcolm	
ENERGY CONTROL COMMITTEE	John Arena	
	Richard D. Fahey	
	Katherine L. Kennedy	
	John A. Morris	
	Ronald V. Ordway	
	Edward R. Taddeo	
	Robert S. Wharton	
FOURTH OF JULY COMMITTEE	Daniel Bloom	Roger Grinstead
	George Buchan	Bonnie MacInnes
	Olive Buchan	Merle Matthews
	Charles DeWitt	Paul McMahon, Co-Chrm.
	Gloria DeWitt	Janel Miles
	Bethany Dixon	Ronald Ordway, Co-Chrm.
	Elizabeth Forte	Michael Rourke
	Joseph Giannetti	

*Appointed by Recreation Commission

		<u>Term Expires</u>
HISTORICAL COMMISSION	George H. Ames	1977
	John Whittaker	1977
	Ruth S. Claus	1978
	William Talis	1978
	Henri Prunaret	1979
	Edna G. Sargent	1979
	Mary E. Toohill, Chairman	1979
	Alternate Members	
	Courtney Strand	1977
	Gerd P. Hauck	1978
HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION	James H. Clay	1979
	Thelma I. Hayes	1977
	Helen L. Robertson	1977
	David E. Marr	1978
	Ruth Peinze	1978
	Phillip Flagg	1979
	George Lamprey	1979
	Henry Prunaret, Chairman	1979
	Alternate Members	
	Dorothy Deslongchamps	1977
HISTORIC DISTRICT STUDY COMMITTEE	F. Lucille Harris	1978
	David Crockett	1979
	Joseph W. Hall	1977
	Ruth S. Claus	1977
	Donald Brown	1978
	Dorothy Deslongchamps	1978
	Thelma I. Hayes	1979
	Ruth Peinze, Chairman	1979
	Helen L. Robertson	1979
	Alternate Members	
INSURANCE ADVISORY COMMITTEE	Robert H. Egan	1977
	F. Lucille Harris	1978
	Katherine D. Bacon	1979
	Richard A. Levy	
	Milton L. Rosenthal	
	Richard L. Vaughan	
JOHN B. WALCOTT FUND BOARD OF TRUSTEES	Msgr. Joseph B. Mahoney	1977
	Pstr. Jack Stevens	1977
	Rev. Kenneth L. Hutchinson	1979
	Rabbi Harold Kushner	1979
	Rev. Robert Dennett	1979

LOCAL GROWTH POLICY
COMMITTEE

George H. Ames	Benjamin Greenberg
Robert L. Anstey	F. Lucille Harris
Erica E. Ball	Ruth N. Leavitt
Elizabeth A. Bransfield	A. Richard Miller
Garen M. Bresnick	John C. Parsons, II
Robert R. Capobianco	Helen L. Robertson
Timothy B. Daly	Linda C. Sussman
David H. Dimmick	James M. White
Anna V. Dunn	William H. White
Frank A. East	E. Davis Woodbury
Richard A. Foley	James L. Freeman
Kathleen D. Surman, Chairman	

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT
RELOCATION SITE COMMITTEE

Peter H. Garland
Milton E. Gilbert
Burtis E. Hawes, Chairman
William H. Haywood
Edward Krupski
Cornelius J. McKeown
Edward J. Radock

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT
RELOCATION -SITE ADVISORY
COMMITTEE

Juris Alksnitis	Robert E. Hickman
Nicholas Arthur	Thomas L. Huddy
Herman F. Brown	Raymond E. King
Anne I. Cahill	Silvano B. Leon
David L. Connell	Franklin Pepi
John F. Evans	Richard P. Pingree
Roland A. Gallo	Bruno T. Tassinari
Jackson I. Harris	Everett W. Ward

SAFETY COMMITTEE

John Arena, Chairman
George Cardellicchio
Dight W. Crain
Richard D. Fahey
Frederick L. Sanford, Jr.
Robert S. Wharton

TOWN FOREST COMMITTEE

George H. Wallace, Chairman	1977
Marjorie West	1978
James M. Williamson	1979

TOWN REPORT COMMITTEE

Albert T. Ames	1979
Joan Normington	1979
Carol M. Keniry, Chairman	1979
Ruth N. Leavitt	1979

YOUTH AND HUMAN
RESOURCES COMMITTEE

George Ames	1977
Robert Brack, Chairman	1977
Nancy J. Erickson	1977
Maurice Kaufman	1977
Carol Ann Ladd	1977
Patricia A. Leon	1977

COMMITTEES APPOINTED BY THE MODERATOR

Term
Expires

BACON FREE LIBRARY
MAINTENANCE COMMITTEE
1956ATM12

Robert W. Eisenmenger
Rudman J. Ham, Chairman
Mary C. King
Donald E. Phelps
Robert M. White

BALLFIELD LIGHTING COMMITTEE
1973ATM58

James Belmore
Dana Crockford
George Eckert
Charles W. Emanuelli
Patrick J. Moynihan
Hillary J. Pollack
Richard White

CENTRAL EQUIPMENT PURCHASING
COMMITTEE
1955ATM18

Ronald W. Clifford
David P. Flood
Jackson I. Harris
Dana B. Hastings
John L. Lelievre, Chairman

FINANCE COMMITTEE

Michael Dank	1977
Thomas L. Huddy	1977
Joseph Hurwitz	1977
Minna B. Satterfield	1977
John T. Shomer	1977
Leonard G. Dye	1978
Steven G. Memishian	1978
Daniel J. O'Leary	1978
Frederick K. Thorsen	1978
Dorothy S. Young	1978
Thomas Daly	1979
John M. Glynn	1979
Joel Rosenthal, Chairman	1979
Susan G. Salamoff	1979
Paul Timmins	1979

LAW DEPARTMENT COMMITTEE
1975ATM25

Elizabeth A. Bransfield
Andrew B. Goodspeed
John R. Gray
James N. Luttrell
O. Edwin Swenson

LONG RANGE TOWN-WIDE
SEWAGE STUDY COMMITTEE

1964ATM62

1965ATM82G

1974ATM27E

Anastasios Andreosatos
Jerry V. Cardellicchio
Samuel S. Crisafulli
Theodore H. Goguen, Jr., Chairman
John E. Goodman, D.M.D.
Douglas A. Muir
W. James Spiller
Bernard J. Walsh, Jr.
Roger Weaving

PERSONNEL BOARD

Walter G. Parker	1977
Paul V. McMahon	1978
Nicholas J. Morana, Chairman	1979
Clifford J. Stinson	1979

REGIONAL VOCATIONAL SCHOOL
DISTRICT PLANNING COMMITTEE
1974STM#3-3

Arthur B. Fair, Jr.
Kirk Joslin
Marshall Lebowitz

SCHOOL BUSING STUDY COMMITTEE
1972ATM23

Barbara Chinetti
Marvin R. Gould
Mary J. Kelley
Susan Lane
Russell B. Noble, Chairman

SOLID WASTE
RECYCLING COMMITTEE
1973ATM26
1974ATM27E

Leonard R. Boucher
Barbara Gentile
Lillian N. Hascall
Robert Hedges
Carole Holz
Dorinda L. Lockwood
Donald Riven, Chairman
Gerald Rodman
Bruno Tassinari

TOWN BY-LAW REVIEW COMMITTEE
1972ATM23

Edward W. Devereaux
Anna V. Dunn
Leonard M. Perlman

SPECIAL CLASSIFICATIONS

Term
Expires

SPECIAL MUNICIPAL EMPLOYEES (Appointed by the Board of Selectmen)

Paul S. Ambler	1977
Herbert A. Black, II	1977
Robert R. Capobianco	1977
Marvin R. Gould	1977
Betty S. O'Brien	1977
Ronald V. Ordway	1977
Philip M. Quatrone	1977
John F. Sullivan	1977
George H. Wallace	1977
Dorothy S. Young	1977

DEMOCRATIC TOWN COMMITTEE

Nicholas Arthur	Frances R. Lafrance
Harvey John Beth	Rose M. Lafrance
Frances R. Bloom	Thomas J. McEvoy
Mary A. Brown	Louis R. Nickinello
Walter T. Burke	Daniel J. O'Leary
Robert D. Coleman	Norma A. O'Leary
Joseph M. Connolly	Michael Palladino
Jerry J. DiGeronimo	Bernard F. Rowan
Leo Daniel Flynn	Frederick L. Sanford, Jr.
Leon M. Fox, Chairman	Philip Saponaro
Francis R. Barbarino	Thomas J. Shea
Mary F. Gilleran	Donald R. Sims
Marvin R. Gould	Ralph J. Sims, Jr.
Rita M. Grassey	Mary J. Trundy
John J. Hart	William H. White
Kirk Joslin	Adolfo Zullo
Pamela J. Kaufmann	Otto Zwecher
Francis M. Keane	

REPUBLICAN TOWN COMMITTEE

Donald F. Atherton	Ruth J. Leavitt
Herbert A. Black II	Gilbert M. Litchfield
Louise Blume	Minot MacDonald
Clifton Buchner	Catherine Matzilevich
Edward W. Devereaux	Franklin G. Mussen
Myron J. Douglas	George Nako
Blanche M. Eaton	Betty S. O'Brien
David B. Eaton	Walter S. Peterson
Wilbur F. Garabedian	Henri Prunaret
Peter H. Garland	James Robertson
John K. Gowen III	Alan Rodman
Anna E. Hamill	William B. Rogers
Frances L. Harris	Alice M. Roodkowsky
Thomas L. Huddy	John D. Sowles
Donald E. Hughes	Phyllis Spiller
George Kennedy	William J. Spiller, Jr.
Anna Leavitt	Chairman
John J. Leavitt	Marcella A. Thibault

		<u>Term Expires</u>
CONTRIBUTORY	John Jennings, Comptroller	1977
RETIREMENT BOARD	*Robert J. Drew	1978
	**John F. Sullivan, Chairman	1979
PUBLIC WEIGHERS	Raymond Bott	1977
(Appointed by the Board of Selectmen)	Vito Francione	1977
	John P. Kelly	1977
	Robert W. Kelly	1977
	Mark E. Kaufman	1977
	Alvan Paul	1977
	Leonard A. Stone	1977
	Irving B. Vose, III	1977
SPECIAL POLICE OFFICERS (Appointed by the Board of Selectmen)		
Charles Appleyard	Russell Fortini, Jr.	John E. Palazini
Joseph V. Arminio	Lonzo Fuson	John Pantaleo
John M. Bachelder	Karen C. Gagnon	Ernest Parker
Walter W. Badger	Fernando Guiliano	Charlene C. Parrish
Madeline M. Bagdonovich	Walter B. Hacker	Anthony N. Pierro
James E. Barnicle	Richard A. Haley, Jr.	Nicholas A. Pierro
Vito Bartone	William Hanna	Francis J. Porter
Joseph Bisson	Daryl J. Hebert	Everett A. Potter
Joan M. Beckwith	William E. Hedvig	Frances E. Preeper
Bensiabello Bregoli	Michael A. Hewins	Clark J. Putnam
Richard H. Brennan	Richard T. Hoey	Heinz J. Ring
Robert F. Bronzetti	Allan E. Hokanson	David Ronca
Robert J. Buote	John R. Hoke	Phyllis A. Rufo
Mary F. Byrne	Richard M. Holman	Cheryl D. Schofield
George Cardellicchio	Marilyn C. Keegan	James A. Scholl
Remolly J. Carnaroli	Roy S. Keith	Ralph A. Scholl
William G. Carney	Richard F. Kelly	George F. Shea
Andrew A. Cecchi	Edwina M. Kirby	Carol A. Stearns
William L. Chase	Roy L. Lambert	Wilmot R. Steeves
Vincent E. Chenevert	Warren P. Lamont	Robert J. Stone
William G. Collins	Wanda Larrabee	Donald M. Sullivan
Lincoln Coolidge	Paul J. Leonard	Paul F. Trottier
George T. Costello	Michael J. Leone	George A. L. Tupper
Anthony DeCiccio	Charles H. LePage	Anthony Varisco
John W. Deignan	Bruce L. Lund	Robert Ward
Antonio L. Dellegatto	Donald MacFarlane	Jon Weber
Leslie M. DiFino	Laurel MacKinnon	Lawrence Weisberg
Richard J. Donovan, Jr.	Anthony J. Miccile	Paul F. Wilcox
William C. Duffy, Jr.	Frederick F. Mullen	Kim P. Wright
Edward C. Easton	Mary E. O'Brien	Ernesto Zacchilli
Gerard Festa		

* Elected by Members of the Retirement System

** Appointed by Members of the Retirement Board

TOWN MEETING MEMBERS — 1976

ATTENDANCE LIST

11 MEETINGS HELD

<u>NAME</u>	<u>ADDRESS</u>	<u>PRECINCT</u>	<u>MEETINGS ATTENDED</u>
Adams, Janet B.	42 Highland Street	4	11
Adams, Paul J.	24 Surrey Lane	3	11
Ahern, Charles M. Jr.	5 Nobby Lane	7	9
Albert, Harry	12 Flynn Street	6	5
Albert, Melvin F.	12 Flynn Street	6	11
Alcock, Jean W.	33 High Street	7	10
Alpers, Edith	67 Lake Shore Road	6	9
Ames, George H.	175 Woodland Street	2	11
Arena, Salvatore	8 Hillcrest Avenue	1	10
Arena, Frances L.	8 Hillcrest Avenue	1	11
Argir, James	8 Arthur Street	4	11
Aube, Arthur D.	38 Stratford Road	6	11
Baguley, Bruce H.	95 Oak Street	5	7
Balcom, Howard O.	57 Fisher Street	4	11
Balcom, Robert A.	1 Countryside Road	1	2
Ball, Erica E.	11 Russell Circle	6	11
Ball, Jay H.	11 Russell Circle	6	11
Barnicle, George	5 Atherton Street	7	0
Barnicle, Marie A.	5 Atherton Street	7	8
Becker, Diana M.	19 Strawberry Hill Road	1	11
Belmore, William J.	19 Concord Street	7	11
Berdan, Margaret A.	216 Pond Street	8	11
Beth, Harvey John	5 Pamela Road	6	5
Black, Herbert A. II	26 West Central Street	7	8
Blaha, Richard J.	2 Harwood Circle	5	2
Boudreau, Leo R. II	73 Oak Street	5	6
Boyle, William D.	118 Cottage Street	1	8
Brack, Robert B.	8 Sassamon Road	2	6
Braverman, Victoria	18 Elwin Road	3	7
Brown, Claire E.	8 Huntington Street	6	2
Brown, Francine May	3 Juniper Lane	1	11
Brown, Mary A.	1 West Street	7	11
Brown, Shirley M.	Megonko Road	6	10
Campbell, James H.	137 Oak Street	5	9
Cardellicchio, Jerry V.	4 Countryside Road	1	9
Cardillo, Mildred M.	59 West Central Street	7	9
Carey, Edward J. Jr.	24 MacArthur Road	5	8
Carr, Thomas F.	9 Kinsman Place	4	9
Carroll, Jeanne M.	3 Roxbury Avenue	7	6
Casey, David L.	31 Morse Street	1	11
Cecchi, Andrew A.	9 Bellevue Road	4	11
Chinetti, Barbara A.	36 Centre Street	6	11

<u>NAME</u>	<u>ADDRESS</u>	<u>PRECINCT</u>	<u>MEETINGS ATTENDED</u>
Clark, J. William Jr.	3 Hampshire Drive	6	3
Clark, John L.	26 Franconia Avenue	4	4
Clifford, Barry W.	4 Rutledge Lane	6	11
Clifford, Ronald W.	4 Rutledge Lane	6	11
Clover, James A.	11 Lake Street	4	8
Cohen, Irving	2 Robinhood Road	3	0
Cohen, Robert I.	42 Harwood Road	5	11
Coleman, Edna B.	2 Clifton Road	3	11
Coleman, Helena M.	17 Lincoln Street	1	11
Coleman, Winifred M.	17 Lincoln Street	1	10
Condon, David L. Jr.	30 Forest Avenue	7	8
Connors, Nicholas E.	14 Alden Street	5	10
Connors, Virginia A.	17 Euclid Avenue	5	11
Crain, Dight W.	10 Clover Lane	2	10
Crespi, Theresa A.	8 Arcadia Road	4	11
Crisafulli, Samuel S.	1 Webster Street	1	11
Cushing, Edward P.	35 Plain Street	7	10
Daly, Gael T.	22 MacArthur Road	5	6
Daly, Timothy B.	22 MacArthur Road	5	7
Davis, Paul E.	68 Cottage Street	1	11
DeBruyn, Harold F.	6 Indian Ridge Road	2	7
Deneault, Alice A.	44 Evergreen Road	6	10
Devereaux, Lawrence J.	20 Pleasant Street	6	8
Dimmick, David H.	10 Sassamon Road	2	11
Doherty, Thomas A.	35 Robinhood Road	3	9
Douglas, Myron J.	55 Speen Street	8	10
Dowst, Henry S.	51 Harvard St., Ext.	4	6
Driscoll, Robert F.	19 Forest Avenue	7	4
Dunn, Anna V.	41 Felch Road	6	11
Dyer, Gerald E.	43 North Main Street	4	9
Eisenmenger, Carolyn S.	92 Woodland Street	1	9
Eisenmenger, Robert W.	92 Woodland Street	1	11
Ellis, Ronald M.	59 Hartford Street	3	7
Fagan, Henry J.	8 Sherwood Road	3	11
Fidler, David	21 Nottingham Drive	3	11
Fishman, Allan A.	7 Peterson Road	5	11
Fitzgerald, Francis E.	7 Lakewood Road	4	10
Flynn, Leo A.	17 Second Street	4	10
Foley, Richard A.	109 Walnut Street	5	8
Forest, Mark R.	51 Pilgrim Road	3	11
Franceschi, Ida E.	24 Indian Rock Drive	5	10
Franceschi, Renzo	24 Indian Rock Drive	5	11
Furey, John J.	32 Porter Road	3	11
Gallerani, William	8 Gannett Road	5	10
Gannon, James F.	5 Westfield Road	3	10
Gately, William P. Jr.	29 Sherman Street	1	9
Getchell, Mary E.	11 Retrop Road	1	9

<u>NAME</u>	<u>ADDRESS</u>	<u>PRECINCT</u>	<u>MEETINGS ATTENDED</u>
Giannetti, Joseph F.	85 South Main Street	7	11
Gilbert, Lawrence Paul	7 Clover Lane	2	4
Gilbert, Milton E.	7 Clover Lane	2	11
Gilbert, Rachel	7 Clover Lane	2	11
Gleason, Edward H.	47 Farwell Street	1	5
Gleason, James L.	3 Gibbs Street	6	3
Goldschmidt, Ernest W.	5 Rutledge Road	6	5
Gould, Marvin R.	18 Appleton Road	6	11
Graham, Joseph M.	28 Harvard Street	4	11
Grassey, Patricia H.	70 Cottage Street	1	4
Griffin, Paul V. Jr.	25 Stratford Road	6	9
Hall, Joseph A. Jr.	1 Ferndale Road	6	2
Harris, Frances L.	201 Union Street	2	11
Harris, Jackson I.	8 Purington Avenue	3	9
Hart, John J.	21 Travis Road	3	9
Hedges, Robert H.	3 Cabot Street	5	6
Herosian, Edward A.	1 Border Road	5	9
Holland, David D.	4 Braemore Road	3	9
Hughes, Donald E.	47 Eliot Street	2	11
Hughes, John A.	6 Rockridge Road	2	10
Hutchins, Constance R.	16 Lakewood Road	4	10
Hutchins, Lyman M. Jr.	16 Lakewood Road	4	11
Jack, Elizabeth F.	28 Sherwood Road	3	10
Jacobson, May S.	32 Clubhouse Lane	5	0
Keefe, Daniel J. Jr.	4 Timber Lane	3	7
Kelley, Paul E.	13 Sherwood Road	3	11
Kelly, Marjorie S.	44 Travis Road	3	6
Keniry, Carol Moore	49 Farwell Street	1	10
Keniry, David I.	49 Farwell Street	1	9
Kennedy, George B.	407 Lakeview Gardens	4	10
Killeen, John D.	1 Fisher Street	4	7
King, Barbara B.	94 Union Street	1	10
King, John W.	17 Leighton Street	6	5
King, Marion E.	16 Sheffield Road	6	9
Kirkpatrick, Charles F.	12 Surrey Lane	3	0
Klein, Ruth M.	15 Ash Street	6	11
Klein, Thomas L.	133 North Main Street	4	10
Knight, Richard H.	21 Bay State Road	5	9
Krause, Harold B. Jr.	10 Overbrook Terrace	5	9
Ladd, Jacqueline	15 Mass. Avenue	5	11
Ladd, Paul F.	15 Mass. Avenue	5	11
Lamprey, George E.	12 Water Street	2	11
Lawson, John C.M. Jr.	17 Green Street	8	9
Leavitt, Mary R.	1 Westview Terrace	1	11
Lebowitz, Marshall	2 Abbott Road	5	11
Levitt, Kenneth	12 Fiske Street	8	10
Luttrell, James N.	11 Lakewood Road	4	11

<u>NAME</u>	<u>ADDRESS</u>	<u>PRECINCT</u>	<u>MEETINGS ATTENDED</u>
Luttrell, Jean K.	11 Lakewood Road	4	11
Maffei, Waldo M.	7 Byron Road	5	11
Mahaney, Charles R.E.	57 Fairview Avenue	8	9
Mahaney, John D.	15 Lincoln Street	1	9
Mahoney, Walter D.	19 Cypress Road	6	4
Mailhiot, Francis A. Jr.	21 Concord Street	7	11
Margil, Merna	107 Walnut Street	5	10
Margil, Robert S.	107 Walnut Street	5	10
Markle, Yale	23 Sherwood Road	3	9
Masterson, Lois M.	31 Stratford Road	6	9
Mathews, Joan R.	96 Speen Street	8	11
Matzilevich, Catherine G.	27 Florence Street	4	11
Millen, Richard M.	16 Stagg Drive	3	3
Miller, A. Richard	61 Lake Shore Road	6	7
Millett, Elsie J.	72 Walnut Street	4	9
Millett, Jerry D.	72 Walnut Street	4	7
Mills, Lona L.	73 Evergreen Road	6	8
Moores, Carol D.	1 Curtis Road	3	9
Morris, Harold L.	18 Linwood Road	8	11
Morris, Thomas F.	9 Sherman Street	1	4
Moynihan, Patrick J.	32 Barnesdale Road	3	11
Murphy, Charles F.	104 Walnut Street	5	11
Murphy, Dorothy V.	216 Pond Street	8	11
Murphy, Richard J.	35 Beacon Street	4	7
Muto, Samuel N.	85 Kendall Lane	8	4
McCraw, Richard J.	45 Felch Road	6	11
McEleney, Alexander W.	37 Travis Road	3	10
McGee, Daniel L.	16 Woodland Street	1	5
McGillivray, James J. Jr.	23 Strawberry Hill Road	1	11
McKeown, Cornelius J.	100 Union Street	1	8
McNeeley, Stephen E.	6 Overhill Road	4	5
McQueeney, James F.	22 Birch Road	6	9
McRobert, Deane H.	21 Walnut Street	4	4
Noble, Russell B.	28 Beverly Road	5	11
Novak, William J.	50 Fisher Street	4	8
O'Brien, Lawrence C.	2 Shady Oak Lane	3	11
O'Keefe, Thomas C.	29 Lake Shore Road	6	6
O'Leary, Norma A.	4 Michael Terrace	1	9
Olshansky, Simon	15 Harwood Road	5	9
Palmer, David A.	6 Deerfield Lane	5	11
Parsons, Janice L.	15 Greenleaf Road	3	11
Perry, Edward F.	203 Pond Street	8	8
Pingree, Richard B.	1 Point Street	8	11
Pipe, Robert I.	46 Woodland Street	1	11
Pons, Edward J.	19 Wentworth Road	6	6
Porter, Bernard E.	16 Pauline Drive	4	2
Powers, James P.	20 Sherwood Road	3	9
Prunaret, Henri	Frost Street	5	8

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Robertson, James C.	Pegan Lane	2	8
Robinson, W. Brian	12 Tucker Street	7	11
Robinson, Walter B.	12 Tucker Street	7	11
Rodman, Alan G.	98 Union Street	1	8
Rogers, George E.	113 West Central Street	7	11
Rogers, John G.	113 West Central Street	7	11
Rogers, Ruth M.	113 West Central Street	7	11
Rooney, Kathleen W.	4 Nimitz Circle	5	4
Ryder, Kathryn A.	28 Surrey Lane	3	11
+ Salamoff, Susan G.	19 D Street	3	7
Sanford, Frederick L. Jr.	32 Felch Road	6	8
Sargent, Edna G.	23 Pearl Street	7	11
Saulnier, Bernard	168 Woodland Street	1	11
Schellenberg, Peter J.	11 Glen Street	2	11
Scianna, Nicholas P.	11 Bellevue Road	4	9
Segall, Sumner	10 Fox Hill Drive	5	11
Shea, George F.	30 Oakland Street	7	8
Shea, Thomas J.	12 Madison Street	1	3
Shedd, Edmund F. Jr.	7 Wilson Street	1	11
Sherman, William B.	56 Park Avenue	4	4
Sowles, John D.	50 Speen Street	8	10
Spiller, William J. Jr.	1080 Worcester Street	4	4
Spires, George V.	11 Tucker Street	7	6
Springer, Robert P.	28 Russell Circle	6	7
Stevens, Pande	15A Oakland Street	7	5
Sticka, Lawrence V.	16 Hudson Street	8	10
Stifter, Alice L.	171 South Main Street	7	11
Storer, Joseph E.	10 Alden Street	5	11
Stroschein, Cynthia Mae	14 Speen Street	8	10
Stygles, Helen M.	22 Hartford Street	3	11
Sussman, Linda C.	26 Ridge Avenue	3	10
Talis, George J.	123 Union Street	1	11
Talis, Lois N.	123 Union Street	1	11
Tassinari, Bruno T.	159 South Main Street	7	10
Tomasetti, Anthony A.	66 Pond Street	7	4
Townsend, D. Elizabeth	5 Lakewood Road	4	10
Trundy, Mary J.	9 Winslow Road	5	9
Tupper, David L.	9 Winnemay Street	4	6
Wallace, George H.	139 North Main Street	4	11
Ward, Robert	26 Lake Street	4	7
Wasserman, Hannah R.	5 Liberty Street	6	10
Weaving, Roger G.	24 Morningside Avenue	2	5
Webb, James D.	14 Fairview Avenue	8	9
Weldon, Walter F. Jr.	248 Speen Street	3	9
White, Marjorie A.	120 Pond Street	7	11

+ Resigned 5-13-76

<u>NAME</u>	<u>ADDRESS</u>	<u>PREC INCT</u>	<u>MEETINGS ATTENDED</u>
Wilson, Bruce D.	28 Whittier Road	5	4
Winchester, Richard P.	26 Travis Road	3	10
Woodlock, James W. Jr.	9 Possum Hollow Lane	3	10
Wright, Richard F.	7 Rockwood Road	1	10
Wyman, Roy E.	20 Plain Street	7	9
+ Yardley, Marquerite P.	25 Surrey Lane	3	6
Zicko, Ronald L.	4 Spring Street	7	4
+ Resigned 4-23-76			

MEMBERS LISTED BELOW ASSUMED OFFICE ON DATE SPECIFIED

Watson, Robert G.	52 Burning Tree Rd.	4-6-76	3	6
Parsons, John Cary II	15 Greenleaf Road	4-23-76	3	5
Cummings, Elizabeth A.	1 Pryor Road	5-3-76	6	5
Buerlen, Paul C.	54 Beaver Dam Road	5-13-76	3	4
Evangelista, Vincent C.	85 Middlesex Ave.	6-18-76	7	4
Levitz, Herman B.	32 Elwin Road	10-18-76	3	2

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

The Board of Selectmen, during 1976, encountered its usual complement of issues involving local affairs, and participated in the ever-increasing number of state-local and Federal-state-local assistance and other programs currently in existence.

During the early part of the year, the Board prepared and distributed to present committee and board members, as well as to the Town Clerk for presentation to new appointees and office holders a committee handbook, which details state and local laws governing meetings of municipal bodies, as well as recommended procedures covering committee finances, interaction with other Town bodies, and various other matters of especial concern.

The Board also initiated an extended inquiry into various purchases, procedures and practices of the School Committee after losing two legal exercises involving School Department out-of-state travel and the conduct of School collective bargaining negotiations.

The Chief of Police resubmitted his proposed rules and regulations for the internal government of the Police Department. The rules, originally presented in September of 1975, were finally approved by the Board, following two adverse votes, in October.

State legislation affecting the Town during the early portion of 1976 included the appointment of a Local Growth Policy Committee, which was charged with the responsibility of responding to an extensive questionnaire regarding present conditions and desired future growth pattern of the Town.

In addition, state requirements calling for final and binding arbitration of collective bargaining impasses with police officers were met with the appointment of Selectman Peter H. Garland to the final offer arbitration panel formed to resolve an impasse over economic issues with the police patrolmen. In a majority decision, with Mr. Garland dissenting, the panel selected the final offer of the patrolmen in April.

The same result prevailed in an impasse involving both economic and non-economic issues with the firefighters. With Mr. Garland again dissenting, the final offer arbitration panel, in December, chose the offer of the firefighters which included salary increases, a guarantee of income during periods of non-service-connected disability, the installation of a cot or similar structure in the alarm room, additional vacation time off, and other matters.

The Board considered recommendations regarding the siting of a Mid-Charles River Sewage Treatment Plant, and approved the suggestion of the Community Development Advisory Committee that the Town apply for fiscal 1977 HUD funds under the Community Development Block Grant program for neighborhood and sewer improvements.



Newly-elected Selectmen Chairman Alfred B. Grassey presents out-going Chairman William H. White (second from left) a plaque of appreciation, as witnessed by Selectmen Erica Ball and Daniel J. O'Leary.



Rep. Louis Nickinello (second from right) and Town officials join Gov. Dukakis to inaugurate the Town's local bus service.



League of Women Voters' President Norma-Rae Wachs (third from right) and Member Susan Salamoff (second from right) present the 1976 Know Natick Town directory to (from left) Selectmen Erica Ball, William White, Daniel O'Leary, Peter Garland (right).

The Selectmen were again requested to consider purchase by the Town of the "front nine" of the Natick Country Club, and participated in a public hearing on the subject in February at Kennedy Junior High School. Subsequent Town Meeting proposals to purchase and operate the property were subsequently defeated at a special town meeting.

In March Alfred B. Grassey was elected Chairman of the Board, and the Board observed the opening session of the Board of Appeals hearing on the issuance of a comprehensive permit to the developers of Fairway Estates. Another development project was evidenced with a presentation to the Board, in May, by Attorney Elliot Goodman and Martin Bernard regarding land now occupied by the Natick Drive-In Theatre on Speen Street.

On May 1, Douglas Bell retired as Town Comptroller, and John Jennings, Accountant in the Accounting Department, was named to replace him. Also, in May, the Board noted with deep sorrow the losses by death of Moderator Joel Rome, Public Works Commissioner John Kelley, and Selectman Chairman Alfred Grassey.

The selection of Edward A. Herosian, a member of the Board of Appeals, as provisional Local Building Inspector in July occasioned much discussion and, in the case of the Finance Committee, concern with the manner in which the Board names appointments, and its adherence to the open meeting law. With the establishment of a Civil Service list of eligible candidates, Mr. Herosian received a permanent appointment, which he, because of health considerations, subsequently resigned.

The Board also appointed Ronald V. Ordway as Temporary Sealer of Weights and Measures following an injury at the end of 1975 to Sealer John Mullaney, and his inability to resume the duties of that position.

In order to facilitate implementation of an intratown busing program, which was, in part, funded by State and Federal sources, the Board, in July, employed Melvin Albert as a consultant to prepare the necessary documents, including agreements, contracts, and bidding specifications relative to institution of the service.

The Natick Redevelopment Authority and its Natick Center-Summer Street renewal project occupied a great deal of attention during 1976, especially after the Board, in August, refused to approve bond anticipation notes in the amount of \$500,000.00 to continue funding for the project, because of disputed appraisal figures of downtown business properties. Following approximately twenty sessions between the Board and the N.R.A. and/or affected downtown business property owners, a special town meeting in October rescinded Town approval and funding of the project, thereby reversing its initial approval, which was reaffirmed earlier in 1976.

In September the Board selected, as recommended by the Data Processing Study Committee, the consulting firm of Peat, Marwick, Mitchell & Co. to conduct a feasibility study of data processing applications within Town government. Also in September, the Board held an initial meeting with the Commissioners of Public Works to explore possible construction projects which might be funded by Title 1 of the Federal government Public Works Employment Act of 1976.

An application for said funding to construct a town office building and public works facility complex on West Central Street was prepared under the direction of the Planning Director and submitted for consideration in November. Although denied for funding in 1976, additional allocations of Federal funds are expected during 1977, at which time(s) the application will be resubmitted.

In conclusion, the Board extends its thanks and appreciation to those persons who have and who continue to contribute their time and effort to the municipal government of the Town of Natick, either through service on its many boards and committees, or as Town Meeting members.

Daniel J. O'Leary, Chairman

Peter H. Garland

William H. White

Erica E. Ball

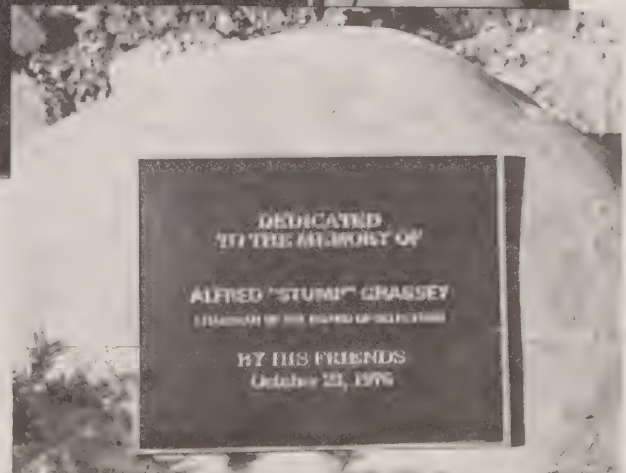


BOARD OF SELECTMEN

from left: Erica E. Ball, William H. White, Chairman Daniel J. O'Leary, Peter H. Garland



Members of his family, Town officials, friends, representatives from surrounding towns, and other dignitaries gathered in front of the Town Office Building in October to honor the memory of Selectman Alfred B. Grassey, Chairman of the Board, who died on May 31, 1976.



SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Massachusetts school committees face a number of pressing issues--declining school enrollments, escalating costs, the process of collective bargaining, responsiveness to state-mandated programs, and the normal pressures of the electorate. Not unlike its counterparts across the state, the Natick School Committee has spent considerable time during 1976 in responding to these issues.

The Committee has engaged in negotiations with the teachers and the custodians. The contract negotiations with the teachers' unit were the longest in recent years. The process, finally brought to a close through mediation, resulted in a two-year contract with salary increases of $5\frac{1}{2}$ and 5 percent over the life of the contract. The negotiations with the custodians' unit resulted in identical monetary increases. The Committee won rights to modify shift schedules and establish night shifts at additional schools. Additional time was spent by the Committee in hearing grievances brought to its level by several of the bargaining groups.

The Committee has directed the Administration to study the ramifications of declining enrollment at both the elementary and junior high school levels. The study is underway on the basis of which the Committee will develop policy to make the most effective use of staff and school plant.

As a response to its concern for escalating costs, the Committee has adopted a policy of fiscal restraint. Its participation in budget reviews has demonstrated a concern that the Administration vigorously justify every request for increases in the various accounts. The recent contract settlements have made salary projections for the subsequent budget more realistic than in previous years.

The Committee found itself addressing the implementation of Chapter 766, Chapter 622/Title IX, the open meeting law, and the breakfast program during the course of the year. Adopting policies that speak to equal opportunity and equal access, the Committee has given direction to the school system and its personnel.

In an effort to work closely with other sectors of town government, subcommittees of the School Committee have responded to needs in the areas of transportation and safety among others. The Committee's efforts with the School Busing Study Committee have produced an updated set of transportation specifications designed to attract more bidders, provide the most effective service, and guarantee maximum value for the money expended. In addition, the School Committee is represented on the Regional Vocational School District Planning Committee. This group has as its goal the development of a collaborative occupational skill center with three other communities that will provide needed occupational education for high school pupils.

The system's Food Service Division provided a support system to the Council on Aging's hot lunch program for the elderly. This particular program was particularly cost effective.

The Committee gave active support to the Recreation Department in the latter's efforts to improve the playgrounds at Brown, Bennett-Hemenway and West. The addition of Finance Committee representatives to Committee negotiation teams has proved most effective, particularly from a communications point-of-view.

The Committee adopted new policies on vocational school placement, the rental and usage of school buildings, student field trips, free admission to athletic events to senior citizens, and open enrollment for junior high school pupils. It met throughout the year with the Student Advisory Board and the student representatives to the School Committee. In response to a request by the League of Women Voters, the Committee agreed to have the Administration participate with the League in a community survey. The survey is designed to sample community perceptions of the school system.

In other actions, the Committee voted to continue its participation in the TEC and Project Local collaboratives. It established the separate, part-time positions of attendance supervisor and transportation coordinator. The Committee accepted the resignation of Dr. Winston W. Wetzel, who had served the system since 1969, effective December 1976. He was replaced by Joseph A. Keefe.

The years ahead will continue to present challenges to the Committee. In meeting these challenges in the most responsive manner, the Committee will look to its professional staff and the community-at-large for help. The School Committee actively urges such participation that its efforts to educate Natick's youth will prove successful.

Paul S. Ambler, Chairman

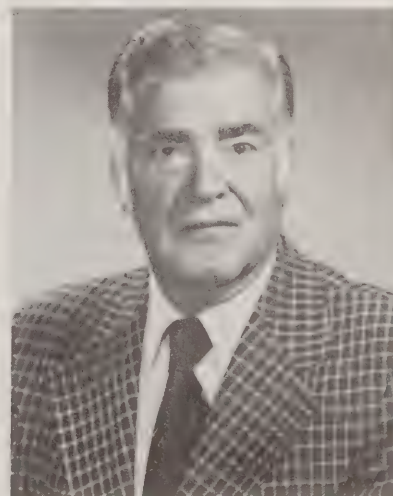
Dight W. Crain
Kirk N. Joslin
Pamela Kaufmann

Paul R. Peters
J. Vincent Saunders
John P. Whittaker



SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Left to right standing: John P. Whittaker, J. Vincent Saunders, Paul McGillivray (Student Representative), Paul R. Peters, Dight W. Crain; seated: Kirk N. Joslin, Pamela J. Kaufmann, Joseph A. Keefe, Ed.D. (Superintendent)



Chairman Paul S. Ambler

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

The annual report for the year 1976 mirrors the complexities of the education program in a public school system. In no small way, the economic and social constraints which face the society as a whole impinge upon the school organization. A number of contingencies combined to require the system to respond in a vigorous fashion. Shrinking economic resources and a declining enrollment at the elementary school level created demands for economies. While the system was able to continue to provide an effective educational program, its long-range goals required revision within the time frame allotted for their achievement.

The elementary school staff was reduced by eight classroom teachers. An on-going study of the staff utilization process is underway. The concept of cluster schools may hold promise in our efforts to achieve improved staffing patterns throughout the elementary schools. An elementary principal's position was eliminated with the consolidation of Johnson and Center under a single administrator.

In the area of curriculum, the high school expanded its work-experience programs which now include cooperative work, 766 work-study, distributive education and office cooperative. Over 400 students are involved in these activities.

Our participation in Project Local now allows almost five hundred secondary school pupils to benefit from direct access to a computer through the terminals in the four schools. Both mathematics and science classes have this learning system available to them.

The summer curriculum studies resulted in recommendations for future action in the areas of language arts and social studies. Committees are working in these areas during the course of the 1976-77 school year.

The special education program appears to have responded well to the needs of the community. The effort this year was to provide as many programs as were economically feasible within the system, rather than relying on the tuitioning-out process to private specialized schools. Our participation with TEC has proved helpful in responding to low-incidence cases.

The Competitive Speech program at the high school is marked by a high degree of success. This system is playing a leadership role through the state as evidenced by the awards our students have won.

Natick High School is utilizing its release days in the 1976-77 school year to complete its self-evaluation in anticipation of the NEASC-evaluation which will occur in the Fall of 1977. This self-evaluation process is a critical experience for the school since it requires an in-depth self-assessment as to the quality of program.

The Music Department has instituted an elementary stringed instrument instructional program. Approximately fifty third-grade pupils are participating this year. The Music Department plans to expand this activity into grade four in the next year.

The building maintenance program has proceeded well. Extensive renovations to Murphy, Center and West, coupled with a planned program of upgrading all of our buildings, will result in substantial long-term savings for the community. The system has inaugurated a program for the installation of intrusion-alarm systems. An episode at Wilson Junior High School has demonstrated the worth of these devices. A system-wide energy conservation program is in effect with improvements to the heating plants and lighting systems. The Recreation Department installed ballfield lighting at Memorial School to enhance the use of that facility. The system constructed a greenhouse at the high school, partially funded by an NDEA grant, to provide a wider range of opportunities for the students. Numerous volunteers worked to construct a new press box at Memorial Field. The community owes these people a debt of gratitude.

The school system is working with the towns of Dedham, Milton and Wellesley to develop an occupational skill center for high school students in the four communities. Plans call for the question of this community's participation to appear as a referendum question for the voters of the town.

As a result of the system's participating in several federal programs, the community received \$69,377 in Title I funds, \$47,195 in Title IVB funds, and \$81,844 from PL874. These funds allow the system to supplement existing programs in the first two instances and to reduce local expenditures through the application of our PL874 receipts.

We note with sadness the passing of Mrs. Edith Dorfman, an elementary librarian in our system. Her efforts on behalf of the elementary schools were outstanding.

Mrs. Sarah Peterson, Natick's Metco Coordinator, retired during this year. The success of the program is a credit to the work that Mrs. Peterson did over the last several years.

The Natick Public Schools participated actively in a number of Bicentennial activities. The 200th birthday of our nation was an appropriate time for the school system to reaffirm its goals of excellence within an economically efficient framework.

Joseph A. Keefe, Ed. D., Superintendent of Schools

CENTRAL OFFICE ADMINISTRATION

From left: Anthony J. Damplo, Ed.D., Asst. Superintendent-Curriculum; Francis X. Corcoran, Asst. Superintendent-Personnel, Philip M. Kliman, Administrative Assistant, Daniel A. Thomas, Pupil Personnel Services, Craig A. Young, Business Office Manager, Joseph A. Keefe, Ed.D., Superintendent (seated)



TOWN CLERK

I hereby submit the Annual Report of the office of the Town Clerk for the year 1976.

The year 1976 was one of the busiest years since I have assumed this office. It was also a year that had its moments of sadness with the passing of three of my colleagues in our municipal government, Selectman Alfred B. Grassey, Public Works Commissioner Brigadier General John F. Kelly, and Town Moderator Joel Rome. Their guidance and opinions in helping me to administer my duties as Town Clerk will be sadly missed.

During the year 1976 I was called upon to conduct five elections; two Town Elections, the February Preliminary and the Annual Town Election in March as well as three State Elections - the Presidential Primary on March 2, 1976, the State Primary on September 14, 1976, and the State Election on November 2, 1976.

With the passing of Town Moderator Joel Rome I assumed the duties as Temporary Moderator for the Town until the Annual Town Election of March, 1977. A sincere thank you to Town Meeting Members and the citizens alike for their kindness and consideration in helping me to carry on the fine traditions set forth by our previous moderators.

In addition to the Annual Town Meeting six additional Special Town Meetings were called for by the Selectmen during the year 1976. A total of 107 Articles were acted upon by Town Meeting Members including those of the Annual Town Meeting as well as those of the six Special Town Meetings.

Recorded through December 31, 1976 were the following vital statistics:

Births	802
Marriages	289
Deaths	403

Due to vital statistic events occurring out of town our final tabulation of these figures will not be complete until well into the year 1977. Through December 31, 1976 the following dog licenses were issued:

Male	716	\$10.00 Kennel	4
Female	69	\$25.00 Kennel	6
Spayed	574	\$50.00 Kennel	3

Total Revenue collected for the issuance of the above dog licenses amounted to \$4,624.00. Total fees deducted and deposited with the Town Treasurer as required by the Town By-Laws amounted to \$480.20.

Total number of Sporting and Fishing Licenses of various classes issued by this office through December 31, 1976 were 1,685. Total revenue collected for the issuance of various Sporting and Fishing licenses was \$13,108.65. The total fees deducted and deposited with the Town Treasurer as required by the Town By-Laws amounted to \$397.40.

Total revenue collected for the issuance of various licenses and documents through December 31, 1976 amounted to \$29,099.00.

It is difficult to conduct an election and no one person can handle it alone. To the election officers and poll workers a sincere thank you for a job well done on November 2, 1976, Presidential election day, when a record high of voter percentage turnout was established.

Edward W. Devereaux, Town Clerk



Town Clerk Edward W. Devereaux qualifies John B. Jennings (right) as Town Comptroller on May 3, 1976.



Town Clerk Edward W. Devereaux



Town officials elected at the 1976 Annual Town Election are sworn to their duties by the Town Clerk on March 16, 1976.

BOARD OF REGISTRARS

We, the Board of Registrars, hereby submit our Annual Report for the year 1976.

As of December 31, 1976 our records show that there are 17,654 Registered voters in the Town of Natick:

Democrat	7,001
Republican	2,552
American	11
Unenrolled	8,090

In addition to our regular Monday evening Registration Sessions we held an additional fifty-nine Special Evening Registration Sessions during the year 1976. Included in the fifty-nine special sessions were five Saturday Registration Sessions, held between the hours of 12 Noon through 10:00 P.M. From June 1, 1976 through October 5, 1976 a total of 2,016 new voters became eligible to vote for the President of the United States on November 2, 1976. A special thank you to the local news media and all other civic organizations for making new voters aware of the Special Registration Sessions held for their convenience.

We also volunteered to act as checkers for the seven sessions of the Annual Town Meeting as well as for the six Special Town Meetings called for during the year 1976.

Once again we ask the cooperation of all residents of the Town to promptly return their census forms as soon as they receive them. Census taking by mail has proven to be not only popular with the citizens but has proven to be a financial success as well. Without your cooperation many extra time consuming hours of follow-up would be necessary.

William J. Sweeney
Joseph M. Connolly

Walter S. Peterson
Edward W. Devereaux

TOWN COUNSEL

This is my eleventh year as Town Counsel, a position which has required the full time use of my professional services since 1970. Commencing with the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1975, the Law Department budget was changed to a fixed yearly salary-retainer instead of a minimal retainer fee supplemented by case fees on a per-hour basis. This is my second year without an increase in salary or a cost-of-living adjustment. The present method of reimbursement for legal services is not equitable.

During 1976, I attended all sessions of the Annual Town Meeting, (68 Articles), also each of 6 Special Town Meetings, (39 Articles). In addition to my nightly attendance of each meeting, many hours were spent outside of Town Meeting researching our articles in anticipation of legal inquiries that may be made by Town Meeting members. I attended 16 meetings of the Board of Selectmen, and 20 meetings and conferences of other Town Boards and Committees. I am a member of the Medical Indemnification Panel for the Fire and Police Departments, and also an active member of the City Solicitors and Town Counsels Association.

In 1976, there was a substantial increase in requests for my legal services, i.e. written opinions and litigation. Constantly there are situations where Town department heads, committees or boards require immediate legal assistance, either orally or in writing. The services of Town Counsel are available at all times.

Additional matters handled by the Town Counsel:

I have obtained an appraisal report of the property owned by Aroostook Development Co., Inc. located at 56-58 East Central St., Natick, Massachusetts for possible Fire Station site. Appraisal reports were obtained for the Natick Country Club in anticipation of purchase under a federal grant. A lease was executed between the Department of Natural Resources and the Town of Natick by its Conservation and Recreation Commissions concerning twenty-two acres of land between Lake Cochituate and Washington Avenue. On March 23, 1976 a notice of the lease was recorded with the Middlesex South Registry of Deeds. A procedure has been set up by this office for the Conservation Commission to issue Cease and Desist Orders on observed violations of the "Wet Lands Protection Act", c. 131 § 40. Three sewer easements were taken by the Town, under Article 11 STM #2 (May 11, 1976), on Oakland Street. Under Article 30, ATM 75, a strip of land for road widening purposes on Mill Street was taken by eminent domain. The rules and regulations submitted by the Chief of Police to the Board of Selectmen under c. 41 § 97A have been accepted and put into effect. This is the first change in the rules and regulations of the Police Department since their original adoption on March 1, 1956.

This year the following were appointed "Special Counsel" by the Board of Selectmen: Herbert A. Black II, Esquire, of Natick, represented the Board of Selectmen in the case of Aron et al vs. Selectmen and Inspector of Buildings, Frank W. Kilburn, Esquire, of Boston, was appointed to aid the Board of Appeals in drafting its opinion on the comprehensive permit and in defending the Board of Appeals in the cases of Fairway Estates Associates vs. Board of Appeals and Planning Board vs. Board of Appeals and Fairway Estates Associates, Robert Tuchmann, Esquire, of the law firm of Hale and Dorr, of Boston, was appointed to represent the Natick Planning Board in the cases of Fairway Estates Associates vs. Board of Appeals and Planning Board vs. Board of Appeals and Fairway Estates Associates, Philip M. Quatrone, Esquire, of the law firm Francis G. McGee, Inc., of Natick, was appointed to assist the Town Treasurer in foreclosure proceedings at the Land Court, Francis V. Matera, Esquire of Cardozo, Matera and Farrington, of Boston, represents the Town of Natick in the three suits Natick vs. J.L. Davies et al (Kennedy Junior High School Roof). The five Special Counsels are retained on a fee basis ranging from \$50 to \$100 per hour.

OPINIONS OF THE TOWN COUNSEL

- 1/16/76 - Assessors - Services of Town Counsel.
- 1/22/76 - Selectmen - Memo as to appraisal of the purchase by the Conservation Commission of the Natick Country Club.
- 1/27/76 - Treasurer - Opinion on Federal Notice of Levy
- 2/3/76 - Memo of Law - Eligibility for membership in the Retirement System by J. Grassey.
- 2/3/76 - Memo of Law - Articles 35 & 42 of the ATM '76 involving the Data Processing Committee.
- 2/4/76 - Board of Selectmen - Opinion as to conflict and interpretation of the By-Laws for the Data Processing Coordinator and Advisory Board.



Town Counsel Jerry J. DiGeronimo

- 2/6/76 - Selectmen - Memo of Law on the Kennedy Junior High School Roof damages.
- 2/9/76 - Retirement Board - Accidental Death Benefits to Surviving Spouse.
- 2/9/76 - Selectmen and Public Works Department - Memo of Law regarding relocation or alteration of a public way.
- 2/20/76 - Selectmen - Opinion as to tentative suit against School Committee in the area of labor negotiations.
- 2/20/76 - Selectmen - Appropriation for the position of additional lieutenants.
- 3/5/76 - Selectmen - Discretion of the Board in authorizing the sale of bonds by the Treasurer affecting the Natick Re-development Authority.
- 3/10/76 - Selectmen - Authority to acquire land without Town Meeting approval by the Conservation Commission.
- 3/16/76 - Selectmen - Legality as to lease between the DNR and the Town, known as Pegan Brook property.
- 3/18/76 - Memo of Law - Legality of a Notice of Road Defect.
- 3/24/76 - Selectmen - The power of the Board to subpoena a witness before a union fact finder.

4/1/76 - Memo of Law - C. 808 of the Acts of 1975 (c. 40A)

4/2/76 - Finance Committee - Opinion, Re: Special Police for Forestry Department

4/5/76 - Zoning By-Law Consultant - Opinion regarding the interpretation of c. 808 of the Acts of 1975 (c. 40A)

4/6/76 - Memo of Law - Disbursement of dividends from the Aetna Health Insurance Policy.

4/6/76 - Data Processing Committee - Legality of amendments to Article 42 of the ATM '76.

4/7/76 - School Department - Aetna Health Insurance, Dividends under c. 32B.

4/9/76 - Selectmen - Review of three Town Meeting Articles submitted by the Public Works Relocation Site Committee.

4/21/76 - Selectmen - Opinion as to permits to keep horses and sheep within the Town of Natick.

4/21/76 - Memo of Law - Retirement - Cost-of-Living - c. 32 s. 102

4/27/76 - Comptroller - Opinion on c. 724 of the 1974 Acts relative to Cost-of-Living adjustment for retired public employees.

5/6/76 - Selectmen - Legality of the Serenity House, 20 Cottage Street

5/12/76 - Memo of Law - Donations by merchants to pay for services of a consultant to the Planning Board.

5/12/76 - Retirement Board - Further opinion on accidental death benefits under c. 32 (J. Grassey)

5/14/76 - Selectmen - Legality of pledges by merchants to pay a consultant for the intratown bus service.

5/19/76 - Town Clerk - Opinion to fill a vacancy of the Town Moderator.

5/24/76 - Public Works Department - Procedure to fill the vacancy of a commissioner of Public Works.

5/25/76 - Memo of Law - Procedure and law as to the vacancy of a moderator.

5/26/76 - Selectmen - Legality of Article 11 of STM #4, Re: Land Management Committee pertaining to the Natick Country Club.

6/3/76 - Selectmen - Legal analysis of agreement between Natick and consultant for the intratown bus experiment.

6/7/76 - Selectmen - Opinion regarding the vacancy of the Town Moderator.

6/11/76 - Memo of Law - Opinion regarding a Wage Adjustment Panel to be sponsored by the Personnel Board.

6/18/76 - Personnal Board - Requested legal opinion as to the legality of a "Wage Adjustment Panel".

7/23/76 - Selectmen - Status of part-time employees under our group insurance plan (c. 32B).

8/4/76 - Finance Committee - Interpretation of c. 39, s. 16 with reference to "municipal questions".

8/4/76 - Selectmen - Historic District rules governing traffic islands in South Natick.

8/9/76 - Selectmen - Further opinion as to status of part-time employees under the group insurance plan.

8/18/76 - Comptroller - Opinion as to the appointment of an assistant to the Comptroller.

9/3/76 - Planning Board - Opinion relative to the R. Grassey subdivision at the end of Point Street.

9/23/76 - Selectmen - Blue Cross Blue Shield - Master Medical Certificate. Procedure as to complaints under said agreement.

10/6/76 - Planning Board - Opinion whether the Planning Board may obtain legal counsel to appeal a decision rendered by the Board of Appeals.

10/6/76 - Memo of Law - Implication of the Redevelopment Authority's articles at STM of 10/19/76.

11/3/76 - Redevelopment Authority - Opinion to it's attorney as to the remaining money appropriated by Town Meeting after its recision vote of 10/19/76.

11/17/76 - Memo of Law - Procedure in law as to the suspension and/or discharge of a member of the uniformed services under c. 31.

11/18/76 - Selectmen - Suspension of a police officer with compensation.

11/18/76 - Selectmen - Interpretation of c. 268A, s. 25 as to a municipal employee that has been indicted.

11/22/76 - Selectmen - Opinion as to the property acquired by the Redevelopment Authority to be used as an office for the local intrabus system.

11/22/76 - Selectmen - Determination of the proper appointing authority for the position of Director at the Senior Citizen Center.

11/22/76 - Executive Secretary - Memorandum as to Selectmen's authority to issue a license to sell Christmas trees.

11/24/76 - Selectmen - Interpretation of Article IV STM #2 as to application for federal funds for local projects and programs.

12/7/76 - Conservation Commission - Legal procedure as to cease and desist orders under the wetlands protection act.

12/10/76 - Selectmen - Opinion regarding what constitutes a majority vote of the Board of Selectmen.

12/13/76 - Board of Appeals - Conflict of Interest as to whether a board member may execute its final decision.

12/14/76 - Selectmen - Opinion relative to the legality of a Natick Center Improvement Committee and whether there is a conflict by a member of the Board of Selectmen.

12/16/76 - Memo of Law - Massachusetts Blue Laws on Sunday openings.

12/22/76 - Selectmen - Comparison of Blue Cross and other insurance regarding benefits and complaints by town employees.

12/27/76 - Planning Board - Gift of land by Natick Construction Corporation to the Town of Natick for its Conservation Commission.

12/27/76 - Planning Board - Opinion as to plan submitted by Andrew J. Lane "subdivision approval not required".

12/28/76 - Public Works Department - 20 ft. sewer easement across the golf course at Speen Street owned by Andrew J. Lane.

12/30/76 - Planning Board - Gift of land by A. J. Lane to Natick for its Conservation Commission.

The total number of cases in litigation for 1976 is 44. Of these 44 suits, 10 have been concluded during this period.

The following are the cases of which the Town is a party now pending or concluded:

CASES PENDING AND CONCLUDED AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1975

Barnicle, George F.
Bouret, Harold J.
Burke, Walter L.
Cashman, Richard A.
Clover, James A.
Davis, Robert L.
Deeley, Edward J.
Doherty, John W.
Donahue, John L.
Fair, Richard J.
Frazer, Rodney, Sr.
Frazer, Rodney A.
Gallerani, William G.
Linton, James M.
Longtine, Jeffrey E.
Lyons, Thomas J., Jr.
Mabardy, Nicholas S.
Mahaney, Richard D.
Maloon, William T., Jr.
Mastro, Ralph V.
Melchiorri, Anthony A.
Montgomery, Wallace E.
Moores, William E., Jr.

Hart, Robert B.
Hildreth, Fred L.
Hoey, Donald F.
Holland, David D.
Horning, Walter F.
Hutchinson, Henry M.
Jennings, Robert L.
Kane, Joseph T.
Keene, Richard H.
Kerrissey, Edward F.
Krupski, Edward F.
Leach, Richard A.
Leccacorvi, Nino D.
Morgan, Alfred F.
O'Callaghan, Daniel L.
O'Neil, Michael J.
Ritchie, Robert N.
Shea, Thomas B.
Sweeney, Robert N.
Teti, Pasquale J.
Webster, Joseph E.
Whelan, Paul J.

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TOWN OF NATICK

These are 45 individual suits in contract filed in Superior Court seeking reimbursement for alleged vacation and shift assignment pay. Forty (40) cases remanded to the District Court of Natick and six (6) cases on a technical appeal to the Superior Court. Motion to consolidate said cases in the Superior Court was granted December, 1974.

- * Aron, Douglas and Robert as Trustees of the Marketplace vs. Board of Selectmen and Sanford, Frederick L. Jr., Inspector of Buildings - Complaint filed in the Middlesex Superior Court seeking damages against Building Inspector in the amount of \$500,000.00, alleging slander, libel and abuse of public office, etc., and \$100,000.00 against each of the five member Board of Selectmen, alleging conspiracy to maliciously abuse a public office and interfere with their business. Temporary Restraining Order denied. Stipulations filed in Court pending Hearing and decision before the ZBA to obtain variance for parking facilities of their land located in Residential and Commercial II Zone. Case Dismissed.

Beatty, Edward P. vs. Natick - Suit for damages to lawn, driveway, and cellar from an alleged water main break on High Street. Case pending trial date in the Natick District Court.

Berkowitz, Sidney B. & Maureen Maffei vs. Natick - Petition for assessment of damages of an easement taken by eminent domain for sewer purposes, located at 46 Worcester Road. Trial Pending.

Bloom, Eunice et al vs. Pic-A-Pair, Inc., and Natick - Superior Court - alleged injuries due to sidewalk defect in a private shopping center on Wethersfield Road. Case pending in Court.

Brown, Joseph F. vs. Retirement Board - Denial of application for Retirement for Accidental Disability, appeal to Contributory Retirement Appeal Board. Hearing 10/31/75. Remanded to Retirement Board.

Channell, Gordon vs. Natick - Suit in contract for compensation from March 17, 1952, to December 31, 1971, for alleged vacation due based on a five-day calendar week, not seven.

Channell, Gordon, et al vs. Shea, et al - Declaratory Judgement by 49 police officers alleging overtime pay for working a shift of 6 days on 2 days off. Demurrer sustained. Appeal filed, case pending.

Connolly, Joseph et al vs. Natick - Bill for Declaratory Judgement by seven police officers relative to vacation based on a calendar week not a five-day week, and compensation for alleged overtime. Motion to dismiss denied without prejudice, September, 1974.

* Daley, Mary Lou Evans vs. Sheridan, Ann and Town of Natick - Complaint filed in Middlesex Superior Court alleging personal injuries to the Plaintiff in a collision with a vehicle owned by the Town of Natick, operated by the Defendant, Ann Sheridan. Case Dismissed.

Dwyer, Ruth vs. Natick - Action in tort for personal injuries allegedly sustained from a sidewalk defect on Washington Avenue. Case pending for trial date in the Superior Court.

Dye, David L. vs. Chief of Police - District Court of Natick, refusal of a gun permit.

Fairway Estates Associates vs. Natick Board of Appeals - This is an appeal to the Housing Appeals Committee as a result of the issuance of a comprehensive permit with conditions to Fairway Estate Associates. Petition by the Planning Board to intervene in this matter for low cost housing.

Glesner, Frank vs. Natick - Suit for personal injuries from an alleged sidewalk defect located at 11-13 Main Street. District Court of Dedham.

Higgins, Robert P. et al vs. School Committee - Superior Court denial of temporary restraining order to cease busing service of pupils to Wellesley. Case pending.

Household Finance Corporation vs. Francis E. Martin and Town of Natick as Trustee - This case was brought in the Framingham District Court against the municipal employee with summons to the Town Treasurer to trustee his salary.

Knott, James M., et al vs. ZBA and Nicholas Thisse - Appeal to the Superior Court of the Board's decision granting a special permit requested subject to conditions.

* Local 311, International Brotherhood of Police Officers vs. Board of Selectmen and Town Treasurer - This is action in the Middlesex Superior Court to seek enforcement of an award of the Final Offer Arbitration Panel in case #62-1975, issued April 30, 1976. Both parties stipulated to final judgment for Local 311.

* MacMillan, A., et al (Labor Relations Commission) vs. Natick, et al - Appeal by Town of Natick from the decisions of the Labor Relations Commission relative to I.B. of Police Officers and Local 1707 I.A. of Firefighters case nos. MUP 326 and 441, complaints of prohibited practice against employer. Reservation and report to Full Court upon agreed statement of facts to the Supreme Judicial Court. Decision for Natick.

* Maffei, Waldo, et al vs. Natick - Petition to restrain the Town of Natick from using the present sluiceway at Jennings Pond, and to repair and readjust the present sluiceway to prevent the alleged discharge of water causing damage to land and buildings. Compromise decision for Plaintiff.

Mahan, Warren vs. ZBA and Walter George Bergman - Appeal of partial variance granted in the construction of wall and patio without prior permit. Decision filed with Town Clerk on May 6, 1970.

Martin, Francis E. vs. Chief of Police and Selectmen - Superior Court, suit by patrolman alleging that he is required to work in excess of 8 hours per day and for overtime due. Case pending.

McDonough, Francis X. vs. Planning Board - This is an appeal from the approval of a subdivision at 31 Point Street.

Natick vs. J.L. Davies, J. Robert Wolf d/b/a Davies and Wolf Earl R. Flansberg & Ronald Craig Freeman - Suit against architects for damages resulting from alleged roof defect at Kennedy Junior High.

Natick vs. C.R. Burns d/b/a C. R. Burns & Sons - Suit against builder of Kennedy Junior High School for breach of contract - alleged roof defect. Pending a trial date.

Natick vs. Dow Chemical Company - Suit against bond on Kennedy Junior High School roof. Pending a trial date.

Natick, Town of and Local 1707, I.A.O.F., AFL-CIO - This is an award dated December 27, 1976 to the Natick Firefighters as a result of statutory finding arbitration.

- * Newman, Douglas T. vs. ZBA - Appeal from a decision of the Board denying a variance for construction of a single residence dwelling on Lakeview Avenue and Fairview Avenue in Natick. Case Dismissed.

Planning Board vs. Board of Appeals and Fairway Estates Associates - Appeal from the issuance of a comprehensive permit to Fairway Estates Associates for the construction of low - and moderate-income housing in the Town of Natick by the Board of Appeals of the Town of Natick.

Pritchep, Ronald H. vs. Rose H. Pritchep, Town of Natick, and Town of Framingham - Suit brought in the Middlesex Probate Court regarding the sale of a certain parcel of land located in the Town of Natick.

Raptis, Nancy E. vs. Natick - Action in tort alleging personal injuries resulting from a street defect on Clarendon Street. Suit pending in the Central District Court of Worcester. Motion granted to change venue to Natick District Court for trial.

Ristuccia, Joel et al vs. Building Inspector - Appeal from the refusal to issue a temporary or permanent occupancy permit until certain conditions are complied with.

- * Robsham, Einar vs. Planning Board - Aggrieved by the requirements of the Board of Health to a submitted subdivision off Cottage Street. Decision for Plaintiff.

Robsham Einar vs. Natick - Superior Court, petition for assessment of damages of land off Eliot Street, taken by eminent domain for school purposes. Case pending a trial date.

- * Sanford, Frederick L., Jr. vs. Aron, Douglas and Aron, Robert as Trustees of the Marketplace - Complaint filed in the Middlesex Superior Court alleging that the Defendant's property located in a Residential and Commercial 11 Zone, is being used as a parking lot in violation of the Town's Zoning By-Laws. Stipulations submitted to the Court pending Hearing before the local ZBA for a variance from the Zoning By-Law. Case Dismissed.

Sanford, Frederick L., Jr. et al vs. Aroostook Development Company, Inc. - Superior Court, alleging violations of the Building Code and Zoning By-Laws of property located at 50-60 East Central Street. Request for temporary restraining order granted September, 1974.

Sanford, Frederick L., Jr. et al vs. Walter G. Bergman - Construction of walls and patio without a building permit. Final decree ordering removal of all construction on property without permit on or before January 1, 1970. Petition for contempt pending.

Sanford, Frederick L. Jr., vs. Brita, Joseph - Complaint filed in the Middlesex Superior Court to enforce alleged violation of the Zoning By-Laws by operating a lodging house in a residential zone without a license required by statute. Temporary Restraining Order granted by the Court enjoining further violations. Defendant complied with the violations in the Complaint.

Sanford, Frederick L., Jr. vs. Charles D. MacAlpine et al - Superior Court, Complaint that addition to the premises located at 138 South Main Street, is in violation of the Building Code and Zoning By-Laws. Request granted for a temporary restraining order from occupying addition on December, 1974. Case pending.

Sanford, Frederick L., Jr. vs. Joseph A. Nastasi & Second Mutual Trust - Complaint, Superior Court to enforce compliance with the Building Code and Zoning By-Laws of a building located at 49 Mill Street converted to a dwelling and occupied without a permit. Case pending.

- * Seabury, Ruth T. vs. Town of Natick - Petition for Assessment of damages because of the Town's taking by eminent domain, property and building thereon for the Morses Pond Water Well. Judgment for Plaintiff.

Sullivan et al vs. Natick and Leone and Sons Inc. - Complaint filed in the Middlesex Superior Court by the residents of the Rathbun Road alleging substantial damage to trees, woods and personal property in the installation of a sewer system. Request for Temporary Restraining Order denied by the Court. Case pending for trial.

- * Watts, Ruth E. vs. Natick - Alleged injuries from sidewalk defect at Kennedy Junior High School. Trial at Natick District Court, finding for Natick.

Williams, Valerie vs. Natick - Suit District Court of Natick for personal injuries from an alleged sidewalk defect on the west side of Western Avenue across from 12 Western Avenue. Trial on December 4, 1974, decision pending. Finding for Town of Natick. Plaintiff appealed to Superior Court.

- * Indicates cases concluded within 1976.

APPELLATE TAX BOARD: CASES PENDING & CONCLUDED

Cities Service Oil Company vs. Natick Board of Assessors

- * D'Eramo et al vs. Natick Board of Assessors
- * Finard, Murray W. vs. Natick Board of Assessors
- Goodman, Elliot M. vs. Natick Board of Assessors
- Harris, Paul B. vs. Natick Board of Assessors
- Kaprelian, Arsen H. vs. Natick Board of Assessors
- Krulle vs. Natick Board of Assessors
- Marshall's vs. Natick Board of Assessors
- Nastasi, Anthony J. vs. Natick Board of Assessors
- Natick Development vs. Natick Board of Assessors
- New Realty Corporation vs. Natick Board of Assessors
- * Ordway vs. Natick Board of Assessors
- Spinelli vs. Natick Board of Assessors
- * Thome, Frank, Trustee vs. Natick Board of Assessors
- * Young, William vs. Natick Board of Assessors

* Indicates cases concluded within 1976

Jerry J. DiGeronimo, Town Counsel

BOARD OF HEALTH

The following is a report of the activities for the year ending December 31, 1976.

Home visits made for contagion and other related matters totalled 1,285.

Amebic Dysentery	1
Bacillary Dysentery (Shigellosis)	0
Chicken Pox	228
Encephalitis (viral)	1
German Measles	0
Gonorrhea	25
Hepatitis - Infectious and Serum	2
Malaria	0
Measles	2
Mumps	14
Salmonella	12
Scarlet Fever	0
Streptococcal Infection	2
Syphilis	1
Tuberculosis	0
Whooping Cough	0

There were no cases of German Measles reported for the year 1976. Venereal Disease for the year 1976 increased slightly from the previous year.

Tine and Mantoux tests totalled 391; 36 were reactors of which 17 were put on Chemoprophylaxis.

A total of 88 patients were brought to Middlesex County Sanatorium and other agencies for x-rays and Diagnostic Findings. Home visits totalled 152. There was 1 case of active Tuberculosis for 1976 and it was pulmonary.

A total of 68 babies attended the Board of Health's Well Child Conference and 86 various immunization shots and doses were given.

There were 8 premature births reported for the year 1976 and financial aid was requested by none.

Premature and post-partum home visits totalled 66.

In May of 1976, a Diabetic Detection Clinic was held for all Natick residents and 153 persons attended from which 13 referrals were made.

Forty-five Lead Poison Detection Clinics were held at the Board of Health Office. A total of 83 children were screened of which 28 totalled over the maximum lead level. These children are being followed-up by the Natick Health Department regularly.

Seventeen weekly Blood Pressure Screening Clinics were held at the Board of Health Office. A total of 68 residents attended and 6 referrals were made to their private physicians.

Swine Flu Clinics were held for residents in the Town according to State dictates. These clinics were held at various locations in the Town for the convenience of the residents and at various times. A total of 4,555 residents were inoculated and no adverse reactions were reported to the Health Office.

The various permits and licenses issued during the year 1976 by the Health Office totalled 3,655.

Fees collected and returned to the Town Treasury for dump stickers and general licenses totalled \$29,264.20

A total of 2,528 vials of different biologics were distributed to the various Natick physicians for 1976.

Under the direction of the Health Department, the Dental Clinic examined a total of 3,068 students from kindergarten to grade 6 inclusive.

Six hundred and forty defect notices were mailed to parents and 388 patients were seen. Cleanings, extractions, and fillings totalled 1,222. Fees collected and returned to the Town Treasurer was \$623.00.

Through the office of the Board of Health a total of 81 animal bites were reported. No evidence of the contagious disease of Rabies was found after animal confinement of ten days.

A total of 1,824 animals were vaccinated at the annual Rabies Clinic. Five animal head specimens were sent to the State Laboratory for analyses for Rabies. All were negative.

A total of \$1,824.00 received for these clinics was returned to the Town Treasurer's Office.

The Board of Health Laboratory has again been approved by the State Department of Public Health. Approval is given for qualified personnel and equipment after State inspection and examination of personnel.

Dug Pond, the Town's public bathing beach, tested satisfactorily during the summer season for bathing purposes.

A total of 1,700 inspections, progress inspections and calls in the field were made by this office relative to sanitation and Public Health matters. Milk, water and swab testing totalled 612 individual tests.

A total of 19 Show Cause Hearings and Court cases were necessary for the year 1976.

These hearings are usually initiated because of violations in the area of Public Health which could be detrimental to persons or the general public.

The Health Department received a total of 277 calls in 1976 for the removal of hornet nests, poison ivy spraying, ticks, wasps and mosquito spraying on private property.

The Town, during the mosquito breeding season, is sprayed by a mobile mist blower and by helicopter as part of our Mosquito Control Program. Fogging is also employed for this program.

The Board of Health is very concerned about diseases carried by mosquito and ticks which in turn are transmitted to humans and animals.

Again, various strains of Encephalitis are now to the North, South and West of Massachusetts. Heartworm disease is also on the increase, a disease which is transmitted by the mosquito.

A diligent program is in progress to control these vectors by the Natick Health Department.

A rodent and insect control program is also carried out at the Town of Natick's Solid Waste Disposal area by our personnel.

The scales, which are now in operation at the Solid Waste Disposal Area, has considerably diminished the volume of rubbish brought into the dump area by outside commercial contractors. This is substantiated by the decrease in revenue brought in by commercial dumpsters.

The Natick Board of Health still takes a dim view on P.C.D. or cluster Zoning and strongly recommends the present Town Zoning By-Laws be retained.

The Mental Health Program, under the direction of the Board of Health for residents requiring this aid, has proven very beneficial over the years. This program is going into its tenth year and it is strongly recommended that these services be continued.

Frank A. East, M.D., Chairman
John E. Goodman, D.M.D.

James J. Mulligan, D.M.D.



BOARD OF HEALTH

Left to right: Chairman Frank A. East, M.D., James J. Mulligan, D.M.D.,
John E. Goodman, D.M.D.

LONG RANGE TOWN-WIDE SEWAGE STUDY COMMITTEE

The Long Range Sewerage Planning Committee serves the Town of Natick primarily in the following areas:

1. Reviewing sewerage construction priority and financing;
2. Reviewing application of the unit method of sewerage cost apportionment; and
3. Becoming involved in areas necessary in furthering the sewerage needs of the Town.

The main area of interest of the Committee during 1976 was the nearly \$300,000,000.00 allocated to the Massachusetts Water Pollution Control Division for use on projects throughout the State to reduce water pollution. It was proposed to the Town that Natick may be eligible for a 75% grant from the Environmental Protection Agency and a 15% grant from the Massachusetts Division of Water Pollution Control with the remaining 10% financed by the Town. This Committee met on a number of occasions in private session and with the Commissioners of Public Works. Assignments were given to Committee Members to contact various people at the State House and at the Massachusetts Water Pollution Control Division in Boston. The purpose of the meetings and assignments were to ascertain the plausibility of the Town receiving these monies and the details surrounding the grants. As of this time, this matter is still under study by both this Committee and the Commissioners of Public Works and further meetings are planned for 1977 in order to get as much input into this matter as possible and make a recommendation to the Town Meeting Members.

Theodore H. Goguen, Jr., Chairman

Roger Weaving

Anastasios Andreosatos

W. James Spiller

Bernard J. Walsh, Jr.

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Douglas A. Muir

Jerry V. Cardellicchio

DOG OFFICER

We have now had a leash law for more than two years and the results have been effective. We still have some confusion on the part of new dog owners, but when informed of the law they try to cooperate.

Fewer dogs were killed or injured on our highways this past year as a direct result of leashing or confining of pets.

A 24 hour telephone service is maintained with the aid of a "phone mate" while I am out answering distress calls or patrolling troubled areas. In the event of an emergency, a caller is advised by the "phone mate" answering device to call the Police, who can contact me on a two-way radio. I want to thank the Police for their assistance during the past year.

Of the leash law violations brought before the courts, the defendants in every case have been found guilty as charged.

Lost, sick and injured animals turned over to me were placed in homes whenever possible. In cases of extreme injuries or illness the animals were humanely put to sleep by a veterinarian. Whenever possible, wild animals were trapped alive and then released in animal sanctuaries or in remote wooded areas.

The Town is reimbursed by the County for the treatment and care of stray cats injured on the highway.

The law pertaining to the confinement of stray dogs has been changed from seven (7) days to ten (10) days, after which time these dogs are available for adoption. During the past year homes were found for over 50 stray dogs.

For the reports of dog bites and dead animals, see reports of the Board of Health and Burial Officer.

Listed below are animals other than dogs that required my services:

Squirrels (removed from residents' homes)	12
Bats (removed from residents' homes)	3
Owls (removed from residents' homes)	7
Horses (escaped and captured)	4
Raccoons	56
Skunks	65
Opossum	14
Woodchucks	5
Snakes	5
Ducks	6
Rabbits	8
Deer (removed from Charles River)	1

My thanks to the many citizens and officials so helpful to me during this past year.

Nicholas J. Mastro, Dog Officer

LEONARD MORSE HOSPITAL

Member: American Hospital Association
Massachusetts Hospital Association
Hospital Services of New England, Inc.
West Suburban Hospital Association

Fully approved by Joint Commission on Accreditation of Hospitals

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The end of calendar-fiscal 1976 at Leonard Morse Hospital witnessed a complete refocus on priorities at Natick's ultra-modern, newly expanded acute care community health center. For with the latest "bricks and mortar" phase now behind us, your Board of Trustees, Medical Staff and Administrative Staff join hands again in common purpose, this time in a concerted effort to improve existing patient care services.

Patients are, and always have been, "our most important product". But insufficient beds to meet growing patient occupancy, plus overcrowded ancillary departments, over the last two years had temporarily curtailed our collective abilities to accommodate larger numbers of ill or injured. Yet, never did we permit the quality of patient care delivery to diminish one iota!

Now, we stand on the threshold of 1977 unhampered by ongoing expansion construction and unrestricted by insufficient space, with Leonard Morse emerging for the second time within seven short years, as one of the Bay State's best staffed, best equipped and best designed hospitals to serve Natick's townspeople and those of nine other contiguous communities.

This equips us ideally to concentrate almost exclusively upon how best to meet patient needs during the years ahead. But even the combined expertise at Leonard Morse Hospital can no longer "go it alone" in anticipating and determining these needs. That is why we plan soon to launch an energetic, meaningful campaign throughout Greater Natick to obtain constructive citizen input from past, present and probable patients.

Many of you, in the most comprehensive way possible, will be asked many questions, foremost of which will be (1) "What new patient care services should be initiated at Leonard Morse?" and (2) "How can Leonard Morse best upgrade the calibre of care presently being offered?".

When your suggestions have been received and categorized, they will undergo a penetrating evaluation by those charged with the stewardship of your community hospital. In all candor, ultimate decisions affecting present or proposed improvements must be judged on the basis of actual need, not simply popular demand. Also to be considered closely must be cost factors and the ability to benefit the largest numbers of patients.

While major structural enlargements have now been completed, your Board of Trustees recognizes the continuing need for periodic departmental expansions within the present physical framework. Thus, we have already established comparatively inexpensive growth priorities time-tabled for completion over the next three years.

These include creating more room for our Physical Therapy, Business Office and Pharmacy; additional parking, and the renovation of our Maternity Unit, Emergency Outpatient Department and In-Service Education Department. Targeted for completion by the end of calendar year 1977 will be the construction of an interdenominational chapel to help better fulfill the spiritual needs of patients, hospital staff and visitors.



State Human Services Secretary Jerrold Stevens (center) presides at the dedication of the newly completed Sixth Floor "Shell" at Leonard Morse Hospital.

While 1977 poses a multi-faceted challenge, 1976 must also be chronicled as a year of accomplishment. Our earlier mention of "bricks and mortar" cannot help but encompass a heartfelt expression of thanks to our tireless, citizen-dominated Building Committee chaired by Dight W. Crain. It cannot minimize the unhesitating cooperation of town officials and departments, who worked unstintingly to help insure that nothing possible might deter the most rapid completion of our massive construction expansion.

While circumventing masons, plasterers, electricians, steelworkers and a myriad of men representing virtually all of the building trades, our entire Hospital Staff, a Medical Staff enlarged by nearly 30 doctors and dentists last year alone, our Hospital Aid Association and our advisory Trustee Council shared in a tremendous pride of accomplishment by continuing to assure the finest quality of patient care possible.

For these individual and collective efforts, your Board of Trustees bestows the highest accolades possible, but with a full realization that in the health care field, laurels are not meant to be rested upon! Instead, they provide the incentive upon which to build a better year.

Catherine G. Matzilevich
Secretary Board of Trustees

COMPARATIVE STATISTICAL REPORT

	10-1-73 Through 9-30-74	10-1-74 Through 9-30-75	10-1-75 Through 9-30-76
Beds Available (Average)	193	193	224*
Total Patient Days	59,623	59,587	64,609
Admissions	7,402	7,550	7,849
Average Daily Census	163	163	177
Average Length of Stay	7.8 Days	7.6 Days	8.2 Days**
Average % of Occupancy:			
Adults	91.1	90.7	83.7
Children	59.7	54.0	52.8
Mental Health	--	--	65.2
Maternity	47.1	58.6	61.1
Births	574	692	704
Surgical Procedures	4,006	4,275	4,594
X-Ray Examinations	52,794	52,339	56,271
Nuclear Scans	1,264	1,626	2,028
Ultrasound Scans	520	1,158	1,486
Laboratory Tests	358,582	421,186	486,719
Electrocardiograms	10,945	12,183	12,981
Electroencephalograms	521	526	517
Volunteered Hours	23,031	23,546	24,061
Social Service Referrals	885	1,276	1,595
Emergency Department Visits	28,715	30,890	37,735
Outpatient Visits	58,779	65,363	73,400
Inhalation Therapy Treatments	37,627	36,508	38,361
Pulmonary Physiology Exams	6,974	7,635	10,081
Autopsies	87	77	78

* Weighted Average - 32 Medical/Surgical Beds opened January 18, 1976; 18 Mental Health Beds and 2 Pediatric Beds opened May 17, 1976; and 4 Medical/Surgical Intensive Care Unit Beds opened July 14, 1976.

** Increase in 1976 due to longer length of stay for Mental Health patients.

POLICE DEPARTMENT

I would like to take this opportunity to thank the Board of Selectmen for their support and cooperation during the past year.

Also, I would like to express my appreciation for the continued cooperation from the residents of Natick for their awareness of unusual activities within their neighborhoods. The department received many calls of suspicious activities and six of these calls resulted in the apprehension and conviction of eleven subjects.

The Senior Citizens are to be congratulated for their involvement in our program "OPERATION IDENTIFICATION". They accomplished a great deal of work and did their job with enthusiasm. I would like to see more residents take advantage of the service offered by our Senior Citizens.

I would be remiss in my duty if I failed to extend my appreciation to the Natick Auxiliary Police for the assistance they rendered throughout the year. These men who volunteered their time to patrol the schools, assist at parades and at town meetings without compensation did a fine job and as a result of their dedication and assistance to the regular force there was a reduction in vandalism to our schools.

Again to all who became involved I express my personal gratitude and appreciation and that of the members of the department for a job well done. It makes our job that much easier.



Police Department Rape Squad Members (from left) Mary O'Brien, Lt. Edward Garvin, Det. Joseph Connolly and Lt. William Maloon



Police Department office personnel (from left) Edwina Kirby, Mary O'Brien and Marilyn Keegan

CRIME

I am very pleased to report that crime in Natick decreased in 1976. In 1976 there were 15,237 complaints filed with the department, 120 more than 1975. There was a 25% reduction in the crime of breaking and entering. There were two less robberies than in 1975. There was a reduction of 19% in motor vehicle theft. Cost of vandalism in the school system was reduced by 33%.

It is hard to determine why the crime rate decreased in Natick this year, perhaps diligent and concentrated patrols was a contributing factor in the reduction. Possibly the fact that the Vietnam War is further behind us or that unemployment rates are starting to decrease. Whatever the contributing factor was I want the citizens of Natick to know that we will continue to perform our duties in the manner expected of us and to try even harder to reduce the crime rate in the years ahead.

TRAFFIC

In July of this year as a result of my request the department was awarded a safety vehicle from the Governor's Highway Safety Bureau. This vehicle is assigned to all areas of the town for the purpose of reducing speed. The vehicle is equipped with radar and is on patrol 16 hours a day. I feel that this extra vehicle on our streets will be of great assistance in furthering our safety program.

There were five fatal accidents in 1976. Pedestrian accidents were down as were property damage accidents causing personal injury. There were over 3000 citations issued for all motor vehicle offenses in 1976.

The instituting of one way traffic on Park Street and Common Street has resulted in a more evenly flow of traffic in the Post Office area.

TRAINING

The following schools were attended by officers of the department for the year 1976.

Babson Command Training, Crime Scene Search School, Fingerprint School, Photography School, Rape School, Auto Theft School, Bomb School, Canine School, F.B.I. Firearms Training Program, State Police Academy. This represents 56 weeks of training for different officers on the department.

In October of this year an Explorers Post was formed. This Post is sponsored by the Natick Police Department in cooperation with the Boy Scouts of America. Safety Officer Walter Horning was responsible in forming this post. Boys and girls between the ages of 14 and 18 may join in the program. So far the program to date has been a success. The aim of the Explorer Post is to encourage young people to think about the opportunity of becoming involved in the Criminal Justice System in the future.

CLOSING REMARKS

There were four vacancies created in the police department during 1976 as a result of promotions or resignations. These vacancies were filled by the following new patrolmen: Peter E. Mason, Charles S. Becker, James E. McGilvray, and Lawrence J. Fleming.

John Arena, Chief of Police



The Board of Selectmen presents a commendation to Police Officer Edward F. Kerrissey (center) as recommended by Police Chief John Arena (third from right).

1976 POLICE DEPARTMENT STATISTICS

Offenses	Arrested	Summoned Notified Cited	Adults Guilty	Acquitted or Dismissed	Juvenile Court or Other
1. Criminal Homicide:					
Murder	0	0			
Manslaughter (Neg.)	1	1			2
2. Forcible Rape	2				2
3. Robbery	7				7
4. Aggravated Assault	20	6	1	1	24
5. Burglary- Breaking or Entering	62	32	2		92
6. Larceny-Theft	132	119	56	14	181
7. Motor Vehicle Theft	10	1	3		8
8. Other Assaults	33	11		5	39
9. Arson	0	0			
10. Forgery & Counterfeiting	0	0			
11. Fraud	0	0			
12. Embezzlement	0	0			
13. Stolen Property; Buying Receiving, Possessing	27	13			40
14. Vandalism	8	8	2	5	9
15. Weapons; Carrying, Possessing	4				4
16. Prostitution and Commercialized Vice	0	0			
17. Sex Offenses (except 2 and 16)	3	2			5
18. Drug Abuse	32	1	1		32
19. Gambling	0	0			
20. Offenses against Family and Children	4	7	1		10
21. Driving Under Influence	52	4			56
22. Liquor Laws	50	4	10		44
23. Drunkenness	0	0			
24. Disorderly Conduct	40	3	2	5	36
25. Vagrancy	1				1
26. All Other (except traffic)	16	57	12	4	57
TOTALS	504	269	90	34	649

FIRE DEPARTMENT

PERSONNEL

5 Deputy Chiefs	Chief of Department	7 Captains
10 Lieutenants		68 Firefighters
	1 Mechanic-Civilian	
	2 Civilians assigned to Communication and Traffic Division	
	1 Civilian Clerk	

APPARATUS

Engine #1 - 1949 FWD 750 gpm, located at the Summer Street Station, is in very poor condition.

Engine #3 - 1961 FWD 750 gpm, located at the East Natick Station, is in poor condition.

Engine #4 - 1966 Mack 1000 gpm, located at the South Natick Station, is in good condition.

Engine #5 - 1973 American LaFrance 1000 gpm, with foam system, located at the West Natick Station, is in good condition.

Engine #6 - 1977 American LaFrance 1250 gpm, located at the Summer Street Station, is in good condition.

Engine #7 - 1974 American LaFrance 1250 gpm, located at the East Natick Station, is in good condition.

Ladder #1 - 1972 Maxim, 100 foot tractor trailer, located at the Summer Street Station, is in good condition.

Ladder #2 - 1964 FWD located at the West Natick Station, is in fair condition.

Fire Alarm- 1970 Chevrolet with a 32-foot bucket located at the East Natick Station, is in fair condition.

Rescue #1 - Ford F-350 1976 Modulance, located at the Summer Street Station, is in good condition.

Car #1 - 1976 Chief's Car located at the Summer Street Station, is in good condition.

Car #2 - 1974 Chevrolet located at the Summer Street Station, is in good condition.

Car #3 - 1973 Chevrolet located at the Summer Street Station, is in good condition.

Car #4 - 1974 Inspector's Car located at the Summer Street Station, is in good condition.

RECORD OF FIRE ALARMS

	<u>1974</u>	<u>1975</u>	<u>1976</u>
Total Number of Calls	2955	3023	3021
Buildings	214	288	264
Vehicles	86	87	101
Forest and Brush	326	473	497
False Alarm	179	267	221
Mutual Aid Rendered	72	42	56
Mutual Aid Received	9	25	9
Others (Water Problem)	104	52	76
(Assistance)	278	318	367
Rescue (Total)	1481	1471	1430
(Oxygen)	515	490	447
(Auto Accident)	277	319	279
(Fractures)	148	121	84
(Lacerations)	144	166	127
(Restricted)	397	375	493

<u>YEAR</u>	<u>VALUE OF PROPERTY</u>	<u>INSURANCE CARRIED</u>	<u>ESTIMATED LOSS</u>	<u>INSURANCE PAID</u>
1974	\$7,115,885.	\$ 8,829,925.	\$ 429,628.	\$ 426,628.
1975	\$9,012,771.	\$11,780,600.	\$ 605,571.	\$ 605,571.
1976	\$6,864,580.	\$ 9,050,300.	\$ 238,231.	\$ 227,468.



Engine #6 - 1250 GPM Diesel W/Automatic Transmission

TRAINING REPORT - 1976

In addition to regular drill sessions, the following training was conducted within and outside the department:

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|---|----------------------------------|
| Operation of pumps at Bacon Street and Windsor Avenue sites | - entire department attended |
| EMT refresher training | - all registered EMT'S |
| First Responder First Aid | - all members that are not EMT'S |
| Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation | - entire department |

Massachusetts Firefighting Academy: Vocational Instructor

- Captain Gassett

Massachusetts Bay Community College: Attending regular courses Graduated w/A.S. degree in Fire Science

- Lt. Ordway, FF. Gilman
- Captain Gassett

Middlesex Community College: Officers Seminar

- Deputy Kane, Capt. Gassett, Capt. Lombard

Newbury Junior College: Attending regular courses

- FF. Murphy

Numerous meetings and seminars were attended by members of the Department. These include Massachusetts EMT Association, Massachusetts Institute of Fire Department Instructors, and many other professional organizations.

FIRE PREVENTION DIVISION

<u>Total Inspections - 1976</u>	1700
Mercantile	1269
Church-Temple	37
Manufacturing	155
Nursing Homes	84
Hospital/Medical	67
Schools - Public-Private	88

SUPERVISED FIRE DRILLS:

Schools - Public/Private	79
Hospital/Nursing Home	44

INSURANCE RATING REPORTS:

Schools	36
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STATE QUARTERLY REPORTS:

Hospital	4
Nursing Homes	28

OIL BURNERS:

Applications	170
Inspections	160
Permits Issued	160

BLASTING OPERATIONS:

Permits Issued	23
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OCCUPANCY PERMITS:

Permits Issued	66
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MISCELLANEOUS PERMITS ISSUED:

Rockets	9
Removal & Transportation of Tanks	2
Fire Prevention Films Shown	24

COMMUNICATIONS DIVISION

FIRE ALARM

The Fire Alarm System is in good repair, regular tests were performed on all boxes including auxillary systems in schools, rest homes, churches and housing for the elderly. Cable replacement was continued this past year with the replacement of 4340 feet of underground cable on Worcester Street between Bacon Street and Wethersfield Road and 540 feet on East Central Street from Walcott Square to Church Street. Aerial cable was replaced from Lincoln Square easterly 900 feet. On West Central Street from Cemetery Street westerly 500 feet. On South Main Street from Common Street southerly 1000 feet to Cottage Street. On Union Street near the hospital 600 feet westerly. Aerial construction was extended on South Main Street from Rockland Street to West Street utilizing 2100 feet of aerial cable removed from Union Street. A circuit pair was extended 2500 feet from East Central Street to Coolidge Field for a Emergency Telephone Box installed there this year. This now provides direct communications to Fire Headquarters of injuries or other emergencies occurring in this area. Three heavily loaded fire alarm box circuits were split into six circuits to provide normal circuit loading increasing substantially the overall reliability. This brings up to standard the circuits in the Union Street, Eliot Street, Everett Street, Cottage Street, South Main Street area for many years to come.

A telephone voice recorder was installed to provide the fire dispatcher with capability of locating and playing back an emergency message in a few seconds.

The preliminary engineering began in October for the relocation of the fire alarm service for the Speen and Worcester Street area in conjunction with the state beetleback construction project. The preplanning as well as equipment and construction costs are 100% reimbursed by the State. Our involvement includes preparing cost estimates of providing fire alarm service to the entire area throughout all the construction phases as well as doing most of relocation work ourselves.



Fire Chief Richard D. Fahey (second from left) joins the Board of Selectmen as Firefighter Allan G. Peterson (second from right) is commended for courage.

POLICE ALARM AND TRAFFIC CONTROL

The Police system has been maintained throughout the year. The Police dispatch console was relocated this past year to provide more efficient operation during busy periods. Various traffic signals are requiring more maintenance problems each year due to the age of the equipment. The remaining School Speed Zone lights are now being installed and should be completed early in 1977. The additional 13 lights will provide us 27.

RADIO SYSTEMS

The Fire, Police, Public Works, Forestry, Recreation and Civil Defense radio systems have been maintained throughout the year. The new Fire Rescue vehicle has been equipped with the latest type of multi-channel radio equipment, providing direct communication with all area hospitals.

CIVIL DEFENSE SYSTEM

The ten audible electronic warning units have been tested daily and serviced as required during the year.

I wish to extend my thanks and appreciation to the members of this Department, and to all persons who, in any way, have cooperated and assisted in our operation and development.

Richard D. Fahey, Chief of Department

CIVIL DEFENSE

The Civil Defense warning system, generators and radios, on both the local government and amateur radio networks, have been tested regularly and kept in good repair.

The Auxiliary Police has been supplied with necessary personal equipment and is doing an outstanding job in augmenting the regular force. The members have logged over 4,000 duty hours during the past year. Since instituting the nightly patrol of the schools, a greatly reduced incidence of vandalism has been noted by the School Department, and the members are to be commended for their diligence in this and other duties performed.

It must be pointed out that these patrols are carried out by the members in their own cars, nearly all of which are equipped with C.B. radios, allowing immediate contact with each other, as well as Police Headquarters, without interfering with the regular police radio net. They may also become part of an area or statewide C.B. radio net for communications or assistance purposes. Ten members took a specialized course at the State Civil Defense Academy during the year, at their own expense, as well as the regular training on the local level.

The Scuba equipment is in good condition with all equipment kept in good repair. The Scuba team has given good service to the Town, and on several occasions has given service to surrounding towns for the recovery of bodies, vehicles, etc., and are to be highly commended for their services under what are, usually, difficult conditions.

As noted in last years report, the 26 year old Rescue truck has become unserviceable and of no further use as such. Attempts are being made to secure a vehicle, or vehicles, for the use of the Scuba team, Auxiliary Police, and other C.D. uses. It is hoped to be able to secure one or more

vehicles from the Federal government through the Excess Property program at no cost to the Town; but as is the case in any program where you get something for nothing, the competition is great, and there is no certainty of acquiring any of these vehicles. However, it has been noted that each year the Town, in the purchase of new vehicles has, in most cases, turned in used vehicles on these new ones, or, in certain cases, transferred the used vehicles for use by another Town department. We respectfully request that this Agency be kept in mind on any future replacement of vehicles that may be serviceable for such Civil Defense uses.

The Radiological monitoring equipment, stored in the Emergency Operating Center, is tested each year by a Technician from Fort Devens and locally during the year and ready for immediate service.

During the calendar year the Town has received in excess of \$5,000.00 in Federal Matching Funds, an amount much greater than the cost of the program to the Town.

In conclusion we wish to thank the Fire Department for the maintenance of the radios and warning system and for the Firefighters that comprise the Scuba team; To Peter Maffei and William Rogers of the Public Works Department for their assistance in locating surplus and excess property; To Auxiliary Police Captain Edward Easton and Chief Arena for the coordinating of the Auxiliary Police; And to all those others who contributed in any way to the Civil Defense effort of the Town.

Joseph Poshefko, Director

John A. Morris, Deputy Director

SAFETY COMMITTEE

In the year 1976 the Natick Safety Committee held five regular meetings to discuss safety matters brought to their attention by the Board of Selectmen and responsible members of the community.

The following motions were made and carried.

1. That the manager of the West Suburban Arena be notified to request two police officers for exterior police services at West Suburban Arena from one hour before until one hour after all Bay State Conference games; that the parking lot at the football field and the walk from the lot to the arena be plowed by the people at the West Suburban Arena.
2. That anyone having a complaint about the plowing of sidewalks be advised to refer the complaint to the Department of Public Works.

3. That the curb cut opening at the end of Campus Drive on Pond Street be widened in an easterly direction and that this matter be referred to the Department of Public Works for approval and completion on this work.
4. That a sign "S CURVE AHEAD - HILL" be installed twenty (20) feet south of Woodland Street on the west side of Union Street.
5. That Farwell Street from its northerly intersection with Cottage Street be made one-way going south on the oval section of Farwell Street to its southerly intersection with Cottage Street./
6. That Farwell Street be returned to its original two-way traffic pattern immediately and that the Board of Selectmen be requested to take immediate steps to secure the so-called Fay property at the corner of Farwell Street and Cottage Street for the purpose of widening this bad intersection and to lower the street grade at this intersection to eliminate a very dangerous condition.
7. To request that the Board of Selectmen contact the Boston Edison Company and request that they remove pole #279 over 1 from its present location at the corner of Speen Street and Mill Street.
8. To request the Board of Selectmen to notify the School Committee to have all windows, doors and other openings on the lower level and first floor of the Bacon School boarded up and to have all utilities disconnected, if this has not already been done, and that this building be destroyed and removed as soon as conditions permit and that the Board of Selectmen also be requested to contact the members of the School Committee to make them aware of these problems and ask for their assistance in having this building destroyed and removed.
9. That warning signs be installed to warn motorists of the bad intersection of Frost Street and Winter Street. This sign would be installed so it could be read by travellers going east on Winter Street. The Safety Committee would like to have the Natick Department of Public Works locate and install said warning signs where they feel it would be best located for the motorist.
10. That the Safety Committee recommend to the Board of Selectmen that "THICKLY SETTLED" signs be posted on Cottage Street, one at each end, one near Circular Ave. (double faced), and one near the nursery school (double faced).
11. That the Safety Committee recommend to the Board of Selectmen that
 - A. A stop sign be placed on North Ave. facing west at Marion Street

- B. A sidewalk be installed on the easterly side of Marion Street from Pauline Drive to Mansfield Street.
- C. "SLOW CHILDREN" signs be placed on Marion Street approaching Mansfield Street from East Central Street and approaching Pauline Drive 100 feet north.

John Arena, Chairman

Frederick L. Sanford, Jr., Secretary
Dight W. Crain
Walter F. Horning, Advisor

George Cardellicchio
Richard D. Fahey
Robert S. Wharton

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

The Department of Public Works submits its fifty-sixth annual report.

Our deepest sympathy is extended to the families of Joseph E. Webster, John F. Kelley and former employee Mary Connolly who passed away during the year.

Our best wishes to Frank Josselyn and Roy Wyman who retired in 1976.

Highway Division:

The Division continued its yearly oil and pea stone road maintenance program, completing a total of 14 streets during the year.

The Town Gravel Pit off Oak Street again produced tremendous amounts of pea stone, sand and crushed gravel, at a large savings to the Town.

Streets resurfaced were Durant Road, East Central Street from West Central Street to Dewey Street and North Main Street from Stratford Road to the Wayland Town Line.

Sewer Division:

The West Street-Durant Road sewer extension was started and completed, eliminating the old high school pumping station.

The Boden Lane pumping station was renovated.

A force main and pumping station were installed by the Town to service the Memorial Beach facilities.

The Kendall Lane - Northeast Natick Project is about 90% complete and hopefully will be finished and in operation in 1977.

Water Division:

Water mains were extended on Hammond Road (6"), Orchard and Byron Roads (10") making a loop with the Wellesley end of Route 9, and on Keane Road (6").

In cooperation with the Fire Department, 12 hydrants were added to the system and 10 hydrants were relocated.

In order to comply with the EPA "Clean Water Act" members of the Department obtained additional schooling and more extensive system flushing and water testing was carried out.

Samuel S. Crisafulli, Chairman



Public Works Commissioners Burtis E. Hawes, Jr. (left) and Chairman Samuel S. Crisafulli

Burtis E. Hawes, Jr.

SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

I hereby submit the following report for fiscal 1976.

I was appointed temporary Sealer upon the disability retirement of John Mullaney on July 31, 1976 and agreed to work on a part time basis until a State Civil Service Exam is held and a permanent Sealer is appointed.

During the year 618 measuring devices were inspected, tested, adjusted or sealed. All complaints were investigated and rectified to the satisfaction of the consumer. A total of \$820.00 in fees was turned in to the Town Treasurer.

Ronald Ordway
Provisional Sealer of Weights and Measures

FORESTRY DEPARTMENT

The major emphasis of this office continues to evolve around the removal of the over-mature public shade trees in the older established sections of the Town.

A breakthrough emphasizing the necessity for major funding for tree replacement was evidenced by the acceptance by the 1976 Annual Town Meeting of Article 56, which appropriated \$10,000 "for the purchase and placement of trees". This funding was put to public bidding with Bigelow Nursery of Northborough the successful bidder for 110 trees, 2½"-3" caliper, planted. This work was completed in early November. It is hoped that Town Meeting will approve a similar article for at least another 4 years. The emphasis will continue to be in the replacement on the major highways in the Town.

Vehicle and equipment replacement and modernization has been scheduled on a 8-9 year replacement program hopefully to reduce the mounting maintenance costs of obsolete equipment.

A special Town Meeting in June authorized the purchase of a new crane truck to replace a 1969 vehicle which had been declared unsafe due to structural failure. Delivery is anticipated by January 15, 1977.

Approximately 17 public hearings for the removal of public shade trees under Chapter 87 were held.

Considerable time and effort was spent on establishing a series of specifications and regulations, which are now in effect controlling the placement of underground utilities to be located or replaced within 10' of a public shade tree.

A late winter storm of near hurricane force termed a "Line Squall" destroyed approximately 85 large pine trees in the Perry Road section off Lake Cochituate.

The majority of the loss was on State or private property with a variety of agencies, including the Town, involved in the cleanup. Property loss was at a minimum luckily, but the uncontrolled forces of nature created an unbelievable situation.



*Tree Warden George
H. Wallace*

The Boston Edison Company completed its line clearing program by mid 1976. Approximately 73 trees were topped by the utility companies,

these trees determined by this office to be a problem to the continued services of these utilities.

I wish to thank the many Town Boards and Offices for their continued support this year.

George H. Wallace, Tree Warden

BUILDING DEPARTMENT

In 1976 the Building Department issued a total of 1,806 permits, as follows:

NEW BUILDINGS	33
ALTERATIONS	445
ELECTRICAL	504
GAS	301
PLUMBING	284
OCCUPANCY	239

and received the sum of \$15,463.65, which amount has been turned over to the Town Treasurer.

The new professional offices and drug store building at 214 North Main Street was completed during 1976. Also completed was the sixth floor addition to the Leonard Morse Hospital, which is now being used for medical and surgical patients, eight hour admissions and progressive care patients.

A new building for the Acme Glass Company has been started at 217 West Central Street. The E-Z Mini storage of Minneapolis, Minnesota was issued a permit in 1976 for construction of storage facilities and a watchman's single family dwelling at 336 Speen Street.

Flicks 1, 2 and 3 are now in operation at Sherwood Plaza and will be showing second run pictures of the latest movies.



*Inspector of Buildings Frederick
L. Sanford, Jr.*

John P. DeToma was appointed Local Inspector for the Town of Natick and began his duties with the Building Department on December 22, 1976 assisting the Chief Inspector.

Frederick L. Sanford, Jr., Inspector of Buildings

VETERANS' GRAVES AND BURIAL OFFICER

I hereby submit my annual report of registration and care of veterans' graves for the year ending December 31, 1976:

Forty-one veterans passed away this year in the Town of Natick - eleven World War I, twenty-three World War II, four Korean Conflict, and three Vietnam Conflict. Fifteen out-of-town veterans were buried in the Town of Natick cemeteries.

In checking all veterans' graves, I found one hundred twenty-one missing or corroded markers and replaced them with new ones so that each grave would be properly marked. Sixty-five missing markers were attributed to vandalism.

The Town of Natick appropriates \$506.00 for the care of veterans' graves. This money is used to pay the men who take care of graves (caretaker of Glenwood - \$30.00 and caretaker of North Cemetery - \$200.00), and the balance of the appropriation is for bronze markers, flags, and maintenance of maps which are kept to identify where every veteran is buried.

This office is getting many inquiries regarding the new burial benefits so we would like to clarify this law. When a veteran dies of a service-connected disability, the burial allowance from the V.A. is now \$800.00. If the veteran dies of non-service connected illness, the burial allowance from V.A. is \$400.00.

Michael A. Torti, Veterans' Graves & Burial Officer

VETERANS' SERVICES

I hereby submit my annual report of Veterans' Services and Benefits for the year ending December 31, 1976:

Veterans' Benefits - This office gave financial assistance to 1,032 people this past year. The Town of Natick receives 50% reimbursement from the Commonwealth of Massachusetts providing each case has been thoroughly investigated and approved by the State Authorizer. The Director's responsibility is to make sure that each case has been investigated and that all documents are in the folders. After the State Authorizer assigns a number to the case and gives his approval, the State Investigator also makes his report to the Commissioner's Office to make sure Director's investigation coincides with his.

Under Chapter 483, the cities and towns received 100% reimbursement from the State. This was aid to serviceman's family until allotment came through. This program was terminated 12/31/76.

In order for the Town to receive the 50% reimbursement from the State, a monthly report is filed.

Two assignments have been discharged this past year in the amount of \$1,600.00, and turned over to the Treasurer of the Town of Natick. When a veteran or dependent is aided and expects to receive a large award from an industrial accident or other means, this department has to place an assignment against the case so that the Town is reimbursed for the monies aided.



*Director of Veterans' Services
and Graves & Burial Officer
Michael J. Torti*

This office aids persons while they are waiting for Social Security benefits to come through if they are disabled, and we advise those how to file if they are on aid and it's time for them to apply for their benefits. This office keeps in close contact with the Social Security Office in Framingham so that we can keep abreast of the many changes in that program also. The Supplemental Security Income program is also handled by the Social Security Office and, since this is a Federally funded program as well as State funded, we have to advise our recipients if they are entitled to the benefits. We can still supplement if they are within our budget.

Veterans' Services - This past year, the 94th Congress amended Title 38, effective 10/1/76, increasing compensation disabilities 8% as follows: 10% - \$38; 20% - \$70; 30% - \$106; 40% - \$145; 50% - \$203; 60% - \$255; 70% - \$302; 80% - \$350; 90% - \$393; 100% - \$707. From 50% up, there is an extra allowance for dependents.

The annual countable income limitation governing payments of pensions was increased as follows:

- A) Eligible Veterans
 \$3,300 to \$3,540 --- Single Veteran
 \$4,500 to \$4,760 --- Veterans with Wife and Children
- B) Eligible Widows
 \$3,300 to \$3,540 --- Widow Alone
 \$4,500 to \$4,760 --- Widow with Children
- C) Eligible Children -- \$2,700 to \$2,890
- D) Eligible Dependent Parents
 \$3,300 to \$3,540 --- One Parent
 \$3,300 to \$3,540 --- Two Parents, Not Together
 \$4,500 to \$4,760 --- Two Parents Living Together, or Remarried

Educational benefits were increased as follows:

		No Dep.	1 Dep.	2 Dep.	Ea. Addl
<u>Institutional</u>	Full-Time	\$292	\$347	\$396	\$24
	3/4 Time	\$219	\$260	\$297	\$18
	1/2 Time	\$146	\$174	\$198	\$12
<u>Apprentice/OJT</u>	1st 6 mo.	\$212	\$230	\$260	\$11
	2nd 6 mo.	\$159	\$185	\$207	\$11
	3rd 6 mo.	\$106	\$132	\$154	\$11
	4th and any succeeding				
	6 mo.	\$ 53	\$ 79	\$101	\$11

Correspondence Entitlement charged at rate of one month for each \$292 paid.

These are only some of the benefits that were filed in this office for veterans and their dependents. Getting Federal benefits brings thousands of dollars into the Town of Natick which is a great saving to the taxpayer.

G.I. Home Loan - Veterans with World War II military service, Korean Conflict service, are still eligible for home loan benefit. Since October 1, 1976, those veterans whose active duty occurred after July 25, 1947, and prior to June 27, 1950, who served more than 180 days under conditions other than dishonorable or discharged with a service-connected disability, are eligible for G.I. home loan also.

Income Cards - We have helped many veterans, widows, dependent parents, complete and file their yearly income questionnaire cards with the Veterans Administration. These cards must be filed by January 1st of each year or they will not receive a pension check February 1st.



Vietnam Bonus - We still have Vietnam Veterans getting out of the service who are eligible for the State Bonus and we alert them to this fact, as well as help with the application and send it through for them. In order to still be eligible for this bonus, the veteran had to be in the service prior to October 2, 1972.

For complete details, list of expenditures and receipts of the Department of Veterans' Services and Benefits, I refer you to the report of the Town Comptroller.

Michael A. Torti, Director



MORSE INSTITUTE BOARD OF TRUSTEES

While many of the important details of our last year's operation are reported in the Librarian's report, the Trustees certainly would like to mention the election of Mr. James Carlin to the Board of Trustees to fill the unexpired term of Ephron Catlin.

In this respect we would be amiss if we did not express our appreciation for the time that Mr. Carlin has devoted in his first year as a member of the Board. The consolidation of some of the minor trust funds and the careful scrutiny of these balances to revert them, even on a temporary basis, to income producers has proven most satisfactory. The growth of our trust funds in the past year probably was the largest in some time.

We are urging citizens who plan to or have written wills to consider the Morse Institute as a beneficiary regardless of how small the amount.

We will be faced with a major expense in the replacement of our 1958 bookmobile or apply for antique license plates for this vehicle.

We are going to request funds either on a one or two year basis to reproduce and preserve a collection of photographs for the beginning of a photographic archive of Natick. One thousand photographs are available relative to the past and present history of the Town. These include town events, citizens of Natick, buildings, homes and other views of the town which could readily disappear in developments of the future. This collection would be an outstanding addition to the library and a "first" in this vicinity.

The Trustees are proud to report that \$40,440 were spent for books and periodicals. While this is an all time high in dollar expenditures, because of rising costs, little or no increase in the number of items purchased was made.

We believe our staff has furnished our citizens with librarian services equal to any in the Commonwealth. We know the citizens, as well as the Trustees, appreciate these services. We added a new telephone line to give more service to the people seeking the reference department.

I believe we can say that our custodial personnel have maintained the high standards for which the Library has been known throughout the years.

In conclusion, the Trustees wish to express their appreciation to all Town Departments for their cooperation when called upon.

Brig. Gen. Wm. F. Bigelow, Ret.
William M. Carey
James F. Carlin
Andrew B. Goodspeed
Henri Prunaret, President

MORSE INSTITUTE

1976 was another year of progress for the Morse Institute with a total circulation of 262,040 books and other library materials from the Adult Department, the Children's Library and the two Bookmobiles. The Reference desk was busy answering many and varied questions from adults, students, business men, as well as requests for genealogical information, often received through the mail. Since reference work is an important function of the library, an effort is made to keep the collection of materials as up-to-date as possible.

5,900 books were added to the collection and 4,600 were withdrawn. Those withdrawn included books which were worn out, out of date, or lost by borrowers, and those which were "missing in inventory". A great deal of money, time and effort is spent in trying to get back overdue books so that they will be available for other borrowers. The paperback collection has been enlarged and is proving to be more and more popular with a good circulation.

A weekly "Film Festival" program has been held in the meeting room with many of the old popular films being shown. On occasion there was a speaker with the film being shown. All programs were well attended.

This past year there have been 3 weekly pre-school story hours as well as the one on Saturdays for kindergarten through grade 2. At Christmas time these children made decorations and placed them on a Christmas tree in the Children's Room. A number of elementary school and nursery school classes visited the library and were given a tour of the building as well as a story hour.

During July and August there was an arts and crafts program for the children as well as a Summer reading club. At the end of the summer a special program was held on the lawn with a clown and "Street Singer", Stephen Baird, for entertainment.

The Library again had the use of a computer terminal from Babson College for July and August. This was so popular that the children had to sign up in advance to use it.

The Children's Library is planning an innovative program of a circulating toy collection for next year. Sturdy toys and puzzles for the pre-school age children will be purchased and circulated in the same way that books are circulated. At the beginning the toys would be for pre-schoolers, but as the collection grows, toys for older children would be included. At the present time there is a small collection of toys for the little children to use in the library while their older brothers and sisters, or mothers, are selecting books. The children get a great deal of pleasure from them.

Both Bookmobiles had a good circulation of books with a total of 91,613. Bookmobile I services elementary schools and the Day Care Center and Bookmobile II services the outlying areas of town, Cedar Gardens and Brittany Towers. Bookmobile I was built in 1958 and needs to be replaced. It is hoped that money for a new one can be appropriated at next year's Town Meeting.

For the Bi-Centennial celebration the Morse Institute had a "Historic Natick" slide program in the meeting room on July 4, after the parade. Over 100 people viewed the slides. This program was later shown at the Senior Citizens Center and at Natick High School for the League of Women Voters adult education class. There was a display of old quilts in the library during July. The Children's and the Bookmobile Librarians participated in the Bi-Centennial Fair on the Common

This fall the Morse Institute added a second telephone line, which facilitates calls coming in to the library. The telephone number is still 653-4252. If that line is busy the call will automatically be transferred to the second line. This should improve telephone service to the library.

For next year the library is asking for an appropriation for a project to establish a basic collection of photographs showing the history of Natick. These would be reproduced from privately owned photographs and glass slides. The appropriation would also include microfilming historical material such as Bacon's History of Natick, Biglow's History of Natick, Martin Moore's Life of John Eliot, so that there would be a permanent record. Money would be included for having "hard copies" of this same material reproduced. "Hard copies" would be Xerox reproductions of these histories bound in book form that could be circulated. There is always a demand for material on Natick history and the original copies are worn and cannot be replaced. This would be a method of preserving historical material.

In answer to many demands from library patrons the Trustees decided to have a copy machine installed. New England Copy Specialists provided the library with an Olivetti machine. The charge is 10 cents per copy. This machine will make change for quarters.

The library is grateful for the gift of many books, magazines and paperbacks. Many thanks should go to the Natick Bulletin and the Natick Suburban Press for the gift of their respective papers; to the Natick Federal Savings and Loan Association for the bookmarks; to the Natick Trust Company for the card envelopes; to the Natick Five Cents Savings Bank for the plastic bags for the toys. The many attractive plants and flower arrangements by the Natick Garden Club were thoroughly enjoyed by the staff and the library patrons. The varied exhibits on display each month were a great attraction.

The Librarian would like to express her appreciation to the staff for their cooperation and loyalty, and to the Trustees for their unfailing support and understanding of the library's needs. The staff look forward to another year of service to the townspeople of Natick.

Elizabeth H. Partridge, Librarian

REDEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY

The year of 1976 started off with great optimism and progress towards the revitalization of downtown Natick. All the necessary approvals, funding authorizations, and contracts had been obtained during the previous year.

At the beginning of the year, the Authority had appraisals completed for properties to be purchased and for properties to be sold for new development. During this time the Authority advertised for and interviewed more than a dozen firms to act as engineering consultants and urban design-architectural consultants. The firms chosen were Green International Affiliates as engineering consultants and John Carr Associates as urban design-architectural consultants.

Until early spring all was going along smoothly according to schedule. Unfortunately, upon receiving a petition from at least 200 Natick voters, the Board of Selectmen approved an article to rescind the Natick Center-Summer Street project and scheduled a Special Town Meeting on April 13, 1976.

The NRA went on record opposing the calling of this Special Town Meeting since the Town had already entered into contractual agreements with the NRA and the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and other third parties would be involved in any possible cessation of the project. The Special Town Meeting was held over the Authority's objections. The Special Town Meeting of April 13, 1976 rejected the article to rescind the downtown project by a wide margin.

The NRA proceeded expeditiously with the carrying out of its responsibilities throughout the hearings and town meeting in spite of being held up on funding by the Town and the answering of issues brought up for town meeting. After receiving the positive vote at the Special Town Meeting, the NRA moved forward with preparing a "developers kit", held preliminary discussions with potential developers, and met with local citizens and groups such as the Natick Historical Commission to cooperatively consider the retention of significant buildings in the downtown area such as the Walcott Block (Debsan's).

After completion of appraisal work by two independent professional appraisers, the NRA reviewed the appraisals, submitted them to the State Department of Community Affairs for concurrence and released the valuations to each property owner in the project area at the request of several property owners.

For several ensuing weeks many of the property owners in the project area lodged disagreement with the values set on their properties. The NRA tried to negotiate these values and invited property owners to bring forth any information, appraisals, or documents that would show higher valuations. In several cases, property owners brought forth information that aided the Authority in substantiating higher values or calling for additional appraisals. In one such case an agreement was reached and the property was subsequently purchased by the NRA. Several other cases were under review when

a group of downtown businesspeople brought forward a petition of at least 200 Natick voters for special town meeting articles to rescind the funding of the project.

The Board of Selectmen again, over objections of the NRA, called a Special Town Meeting for October 19, 1976. At this town meeting a vote was passed to rescind funding of the Center - Summer Street Project.

This unprecedented action caused many problems both financially and administratively. The NRA in an effort to solve the problems that were created, appointed (November 10, 1976) a Natick Center Improvement Committee (NCIC) made up of representatives of several town boards and citizens-at-large. This committee was given the powers to replan the project area.



Redevelopment Authority Members (from left) Steven E. Adams, Gerard F. Higgins, Edith Alpers, Chairman E. Davis Woodbury, Jr.

The NCIC has met continually since it was formed and has proposed an article for a special town meeting on January 11, 1977 (by petition of at least 200 Natick voters) which would encourage the replanning of the project and the submission of a revised plan during the 1977 Annual Town Meeting. It is hoped that the Town Meeting shows confidence in the future of downtown and votes to continue efforts to revitalize it.

During the year the following changes were made on the Authority:

- Jeanne A. James was appointed by the State on April 7, 1976 to fill out the unexpired term of Richard A. Robbins who had resigned at the end of 1975. Mrs. James was reappointed by the State for an additional five-year term on November 10, 1976.
- Mary Trundy resigned from the NRA on September 1, 1976 for personal reasons.
- Edith Alpers was appointed on September 29, 1976 to fill the vacancy on the Authority.

E. Davis Woodbury, Jr., Chairman
Gerard F. Higgins Edith Alpers

Steven E. Adams
Jeanne A. James

HOUSING AUTHORITY

The Housing Authority during the past year has experienced mixed periods of progress and frustration. Funds were available at the beginning of the year for another segment of Housing for the Elderly, but Town Meeting once again denied the Authority a desirable tract of land on which to build. Shortly thereafter, funds from the Department of Community Affairs became unavailable and our waiting list of needy Elderly, like Topsy, just grew and grew. The outlook for additional units for Elderly Housing for the immediate future is bleak.

Alleviating the situation - but only to a small degree - is our involvement in the Section 8 Program, whereby Federal monies allow the Authority to proffer Rental Assistance in private housing to a limited number of low-income elderly and families. It would seem that for the next year or two this program will be the only opportunity to accommodate the needs of those who cannot afford market rentals.



HOUSING AUTHORITY

*Standing (from left): Executive Director David I. Keniry
Secretary Marion Ormond, Thomas L. Huddy, James M.
White; seated: Edward J. Hurst, Chairman P. Joseph Coan,
Linda Saulnier*

Full advantage has been taken of the on-going Modernization Program, whereby limited funds are available from the Department of Community Affairs to retain our present units of both Elderly and Family Housing in safe and sanitary repair. The Board has been diligent and opportunistic in seeking funds from sources such as this Modernization Program.

The Board is fortunate to have one of its members on the Community Development Block Grant Committee, whereby Federal funds are available for improvement and development of public services within the Town. Housing has a high priority when application is made for these monies, and it is hoped that a certain amount of construction and/or acquisition will further alleviate the housing shortage.

All Town Boards and offices are deserving of much thanks for their full cooperation, sometimes requested, often volunteered - our deep appreciation.

At the Annual Town Election held in March, Linda Saulnier secured the seat formerly occupied by Robert J. Ryan.

At the Annual Meeting held in April, election of officers was duly held with the following results: P. Joseph Coan, Chairman; Edward J. Hurst, Vice-Chairman; Linda Saulnier, Treasurer; James White, Assistant Treasurer; and Thomas L. Huddy, Member (State Appointee).

P. Joseph Coan, Chairman
Linda Saulnier

James White

Edward J. Hurst
Thomas L. Huddy

RECREATION COMMISSION

1976 has been highlighted by growing leadership, participation and development of resident input on future directions of Recreation and Park Services in Natick. Several major changes and adaptations of programs, facilities and departmental organization patterns have been evidence of the continuing need for change.

First, at the program level, a new thrust in outdoor leisure interests by all age levels has provided new opportunities for staff to better meet the needs of residents.

The added excitement of this Bi-Centennial year contributed to the success of more Family Oriented Programs, including a huge community fair featuring participation by many groups and organizations and individuals. The Girl Scout Troops of Natick, under the leadership of Mary Patton, were instrumental in this event. Crowds reached a peak at the Summer Concert series on the Common, with the largest crowd in recent memory in attendance for the concerts held during the all town 4th of July Celebration. Continued development of girls and women's programs in physical and cultural activities were additional examples of the need for diversity and balance in all recreation programming.

Facility improvements proceeded on a steady path of progress in the achievement of a more up to date parks and playgrounds system for residents. Funding and near completion of the Brown School Playground development, on-going renovation of the beach facility, resurfacing of hard surfaced areas and successful financing of neighborhood park improvements through a Community Development Block Grant for the town, were extraordinary accomplishments in '76. The beginnings of a comprehensive community participation program in long range upgrading of play areas in all neighborhoods, offers further rays of hope for '77 and years to come in the realization of the town's goal of better opportunities in leisure for all.

A shot in the arm to athletic programs in the town was realized with the completion of the lighting system at Memorial School. Hundreds of players and spectators in Natick, were, for the first time, treated to the expanded and exciting possibilities for night sporting events, including a comprehensive schedule of softball games and tournaments, and provision of early evening instructional programs in football and soccer.



Recreation Commissioners (from left) Elsie J. Millett, Betty S. O'Brien, Chairman Patrick J. Moynihan and Michael J. Rourke, Superintendent

There are many to thank for their support and contributions to the success of projects and programs in 1976, including the many businesses who sponsor the numerous teams and activities in league and workshop settings; the large number of community groups including fraternal, service and PTO organizations; the 400 plus volunteers who work in nearly every phase of the department services; the town officials, commissions, committees and departments who extend a helping hand in the recreation and park programs, the staff of supervisors, specialists and leaders who work day to day for and with the residents of the town, and finally to the residents of Natick, for their fantastic support and cooperation in all phases of operation, and to every and all we extend our sincere appreciation.

Patrick J. Moynihan, Chairman

Ronald V. Ordway
Elsie J. Millett

Betty S. O'Brien
John M. Stygles

BOARD OF ASSESSORS

The Board of Assessors respectfully submits its annual report for the year ending December 31, 1976.

Charles W. Emanuelli was re-elected to the Board without opposition, thus rejoining Nicholas Arthur and John D. Sowles.

The Board held a meeting in March and Nicholas Arthur was elected Chairman, and John D. Sowles, Clerk, by unanimous vote.

The Board held regular meetings during the year on each Monday evening. In addition to these regular meetings, the Board held many special meetings.



BOARD OF ASSESSORS

From left: Charles W. Emanuelli, Chairman Nicholas Arthur, John D. Sowles

The Board continues to work closely with other Town Departments to improve the overall efficiency and effectiveness of the office.

The total tax base of the Town has not increased in any substantial amount in the past two years. In previous years with a healthy increase in new building value the tax rate increase necessary through increased spending was minimized by the tax base raising enough monies to cover most of extra monies required over the previous year. We also face approximately a million dollar reduction to total value by the state takings for the Speen Street - Worcester Road interchange.

To our office force, those in other Town departments who assisted us in our labors, and to the taxpayers who supported us in our efforts to provide equitable assessments throughout Natick, we express our sincere thanks.

Nicholas Arthur, Chairman

John D. Sowles

Charles W. Emanuelli

PLANNING BOARD

Kathleen D. Surman joined the Planning Board this year, having been elected to the seat vacated by John J. Hart, who did not seek re-election. No other changes in membership occurred.

The Board held 38 meetings in 1976, as well as five public hearings regarding subdivisions and three on warrant articles. One of the latter was not a statutory requirement, but was held to receive input from citizens regarding the proposal for acquisition of the Natick Country Club, which the Board felt was appropriate because of the major significance of this matter. After due consideration the Board supported the acquisition and so recommended to Town Meeting. We feel that Town Meeting made a mistake when this article failed by a slight margin to receive the necessary two-thirds vote.



Planning Board Members (from left) Milton E. Gilbert, Chairman James M. Williamson, Kathleen D. Surman, Paul E. Kelley

Two new subdivisions were approved, one at Point Street and one near the Wayland/Natick town line. In addition modifications to two previously approved subdivision plans have been given approval.

Forty-nine plans were submitted for signing as not requiring approval under the subdivision control law. Of these, seven were rejected for various deficiencies; some were later corrected and resubmitted and finally approved.

As a result of the adoption of Article 58 of the 1975 ATM the scope of the Planning Board's recommendations has been broadened to encompass matters not specifically dealing with zoning, with all recommendations distributed to Town Meeting members 10 days prior to Town Meeting. Recommendations were mailed three times during 1976.

For the first time in several years the Board instituted litigation, when in November it challenged the Board of Appeals' action in granting a comprehensive permit for the construction of 304 units of housing on approximately 16 acres of land on Mill Street.

The Planning Board is most encouraged by the appropriation passed by Town Meeting to complete the townwide drainage study, which was sponsored jointly with the DPW, Conservation Commission and Board of Health. We believe that this will have favorable impact on future planning and will offer valuable guidance to all Town Boards.

Cluster zoning articles which will serve to preserve open space in any new development have been given attention by Mrs. Elizabeth Bransfield, who is working for the Planning Board as a consultant. At this writing the draft articles are expected to be submitted to the Board for initial consideration in January, 1977. Hopefully this will result in their presentation to the Town Meeting during 1977.

In May the Local Growth Policy Committee (established in accordance with Chapter 807 of the Acts of 1975) held its first meeting. The Planning Board representative, Kathleen D. Surman, served as Chairman. Two public hearings were held on the questionnaire supplied by the Office of State Planning. The report of the committee was forwarded in July, and a regional hearing was held in December. The final state-wide report will be forthcoming in the first half of 1977.

The Planning Board again this year has attempted to work closely with the Board of Health and Dept. of Public Works in all areas of common interest and responsibility. We thank them and all Town Boards for their assistance to this Board during 1976.

James M. Williamson, Chairman

Robert W. Eisenmenger
Paul E. Kelley

Milton E. Gilbert
Kathleen D. Surman

BOARD OF APPEALS

In the year 1976, sixty-three (63) applications were filed with the Town Clerk for Hearing by the ZBA. One appeal, Fairway Estates Associates, involved a request for a comprehensive permit under the Anti-Snob Zoning Law, 40B, for construction of a multi-family housing complex comprising 304 apartments, to include a minimum of 25% subsidized units on a portion of the Natick Country Club. Hearing commenced on March 10, 1976 and after five (5) scheduled continuations, this Hearing came to a close on September 15, 1976.

The decision of the Board was filed with the Town Clerk on October 22, 1976, approving said comprehensive permit by a majority vote, with conditions imposed to protect the health and safety of the occupants of the proposed housing development and the residents of the Town of Natick.



BOARD OF APPEALS

Seated, from left: Oscar A. Zullo, Chairman Philip M. Quatrone, Robert T. Gammons, Marvin R. Gould, Edward A. Herosian; standing: Department Assistant Anna V. Dunn, Associate Members Lois N. Talis, Myron J. Douglas

At the present time, this comprehensive permit granted to Fairway Estates Associates is the subject of litigation under two separate appeals; one filed by the Petitioner with the State Housing Appeals Committee against various conditions applied by the Board; and another appeal filed in the Middlesex Superior Court, Case #76-5659 by the Planning Board against the Zoning Board's approval. Both cases are pending.

The Board would like to take this opportunity to express their appreciation to all Town Officials and residents in this area who submitted recommendations and information, vital to the Board in preparation of this decision.

The Board of Selectmen re-appointed Robert T. Gammons as a Regular Member of the Board for a 5-year term and re-appointed Myron J. Douglas as an Alternate Member for a 3-year term.

Amendments voted at the Special Town Meeting on June 22, 1976, to Section VD, "Parking and Loading Requirements", have substantially relieved the parking problems to the business community created by the adoption of the 1976 Parking Code.

It is apparent that the Town must accept Chapter 808, prior to June 30, 1978. In view of the State mandated deadline, the Town of Natick must amend its Zoning By-laws to conform to the new legislation. However, Chapter 808 in its present form is a complex piece of legislation involving many ambiguities and care should be exercised to avoid acceptance of its provisions prematurely. It is evident that amendments should be enacted by the Legislators to correct many flaws and omissions in this law, which have obviously prompted other communities to reject early acceptance.

Monies submitted to the General Fund from appeals filed with the Zoning Board of Appeals, postage and copies, totalled \$2,701.92.

The Members of the Board of Appeals presiding during the Bicentennial Year, 1976, were:

Philip M. Quatralo, Chairman	Oscar A. Zullo, Regular Member
Edward A. Herosian, Vice Chairman	William J. Reynolds, Alternate Member
Marvin R. Gould, Clerk	Lois N. Talis, Alternate Member
Robert T. Gammons, Regular Member	Myron J. Douglas, Alternate Member

PERSONNEL BOARD

The Personnel Board met at least twice a month during the year, however there were eight meetings in January and February 1976.

The Board developed a unique Pay Plan for 1976 which included 15 levels of pay. Each level had a starting salary, automatic increases each year for five years followed by a limit of twenty-five dollars per week increase based on merit. Town Meeting 1976 did not accept this salary concept and retained the 15 steps within each level.

The position of Comptroller was vacated by the retirement of Mr. Douglas Bell. A three man committee consisting of Mr. Bell, one selectman and the Executive Secretary interviewed candidates for the Comptroller position and chose Mr. John Jennings who was employed as Accountant.

The present Comptroller conducted interviews for the position of Accountant and selected a clerk employed in the Comptroller's office to fill the position. At the Selectmen's request, the Personnel Board interviewed nine candidates and presented the names of three best qualified candidates which did not include the clerk. The Selectmen appointed the clerk and placed her in an upward mobility position requiring academic achievement and on-the-job training.



Personnel Board Members (from right) Chairman Nicholas J. Morana, Walter G. Parker, Clifford J. Stinson, Executive Secretary Mary J. Trundy

Job audits were conducted during the year by the Board on the following:

Park and Recreation Department
Secretary to Board of Selectmen
Veterans' Services Officer
Health Department
Parking Meter Maintenance
Building Inspector
Dog Officer
Planning Director

Results of these audits will be presented to the Board of Selectmen in January 1977.

At its meeting of October 27, 1976 Mr. Morana was re-elected Chairman, Mr. McMahon was re-elected Vice-Chairman and Mrs. Trundy was re-appointed Executive Secretary.

Nicholas J. Morana, Chairman
Walter G. Parker

Paul J. McMahon
Clifford J. Stinson

COUNCIL ON AGING

The Council on Aging is comprised of eleven members, ten members being appointed by the Board of Selectmen and one being appointed to the Council by the Recreation Commission.

The Council meetings are held on the second Wednesday of each month at 7:30 P.M., with special meetings as requirements indicate, at the Natick Senior Center, 10 Wilson Street.

The Senior Center is open Monday through Friday, 9:00 A.M. to 4:00 P.M., excluding holidays, and is staffed by Philip Saponaro, Director; Edward Bessey, Clerical Assistant and Gertrude Legere, Secretary.

There are many services provided for the Senior Adults such as bus service twice weekly, Wednesday and Friday, to transport them for such services as shopping, banking and medical services. Again this year the Star Market, Natick, has furnished bus transportation on Tuesdays for shopping needs.

Health and educational needs that are of vital importance to our Senior Adults are a primary consideration of the Council and Senior Center Director. The Blood Pressure Clinic conducted by the Natick Visiting Nurse Association continues to be of great interest as are invited speakers who convey information on topics of concern.

There are Recreational Programs held regularly such as Arts and Crafts, Jewelry Making, Painting, Square Dancing, Bowling and Fun and Game days and the popularity of these programs is evidenced by the attendance, well attended, and, too, by the hand made products that are available for the Senior Fairs. The Senior Fairs are held twice a year and this year were most successful.

There were several new activities introduced; one being an ongoing exercise class considered so innovative by the Department of Elder Affairs that they arranged a television taping of a class.

Another new activity, through the cooperation of Police Chief John Arena, was the instruction to volunteer senior adults in the use of the electric engraving tool for marking, identifiably, personal property and the volunteers then offered their services to the general public.

Among the social events was the ever popular Christmas Party, arranged by Roche Brothers, held at the Framingham Armory and attended by about six hundred senior adults.

So much information on Senior Center programs and activities is conveyed by the Senior Center Newsletter, issued monthly and this year we experienced another accomplishment. Initiated by the Council in a previous year, and with the cooperation of the Board of Selectmen, we received, this year, a Federal Grant from the Department of Elder Affairs which permitted increased circulation of our News Letter from the usual 260 copies to 3000, copies, monthly, for an eight month period. One result was the issuance

of about 300 Identification Cards to Senior Adults, in addition to those regularly issued, enabling seniors to take advantage of so many discounts offered by various businesses.

One service arranged during this year, to be implemented the beginning of the new year, is that of hot lunches provided by a catering service at a nominal cost to the seniors. This was effected through the South Middlesex Opportunity Council. The seniors have already had a program of hot lunches provided through the excellent cooperation of the Natick School Department but a significant difference is that the new program will provide lunches on a five day week basis. Heretofore lunches could not be made available on any days of school closings.



COUNCIL ON AGING

From left: Gladys Adams, George Buchan, Walter Flannery, Henry Dowst, Michael Torti, Chairman Katherine Kennedy, Ronald Ordway, Merle Matthews, Mary Gray, Lena Sauro

One other change the Council and Center will experience in the coming year is the appointment of a new Director. Mr. Philip Saponaro, who has been an extremely dedicated Director at the Senior Center for the past five years, retired effective December 31, 1976.

The caring, sharing and volunteering enjoyed by the seniors and the Council has made this a fulfilling and memorable year.

The Council greatly appreciates the assistance and cooperation of the Board of Selectmen, the Natick School Department, the Natick Police Department, the Recreation Commission and the Town Clerk.

Too, we thank most sincerely our Director, Philip Saponaro, the members of the Clergy, Social Agencies, Clubs, Organizations, Business Groups, Youth Groups, all the Townspeople and all Town, State and Federal Officials and Offices who have contributed to the enrichment of the Seniors and Senior Center.

Katherine L. Kennedy, Chairman

Walter Flannery
Ronald Ordway
Mary Gray, Secretary
Theresa Mitchell
Henry Dowst

Michael Torti
Lena Sauro
Gladys Adams
George Buchan
Merle Matthews

CONSERVATION COMMISSION

This past year the Commission has utilized the Conservation Administrator services of Charles Mazza, a CETA employee (100% Federally funded). These full-time services have materially aided the consistent execution of both the law and the basic philosophy behind the law. Without this kind of daily accessibility to all concerned, it has become extremely difficult if not impossible for the Commissioners to do the professional job now required of a Conservation Commission.

Since the Massachusetts Wetlands Protection Act. (M.G.L., Chap. 131, Sec. 40) received major modification in late 1974, all local Conservation Commissions have grown considerably in importance. This law controls a very broad range of water-related alterations of the land prior to and during construction to minimize problems with siltation, flooding, and drinking water supplies; every owner and developer, no matter how small, must have his plans reviewed by the local Commission. Both developers and taxpayers have come to realize how important this review can be. It helps developers secure prompt financing and prompt resale of the developed land, and it helps to protect our taxpayers against flooding and other property deterioration.

Where no development is appropriate, the Commission notes that they can and do purchase lands and/or accept land gifts which then are maintained in their natural state.

The following is a listing of the major efforts of the Commission this past year:

Plans to construct over \$800 Million of improvements to the Metropolitan Sewerage District continue to be reviewed by S. Brown, Natick's representative on the program's Citizens Advisory Committee.

Selection of a site for the proposed Mid-Charles Wastewater Sewage Treatment Plant is also under Natick review by S. Brown (and W. Spiller of the DPW). Final decisions will involve Natick citizens in workshops sponsored by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency.

With assistance from the U. S. Geologic Survey's Water Division in Boston and from the Lake Cochituate Waters Land Association, the Commission has developed a groundwater favorability map. This new planning resource indicates where the town's present and future water supply are most sensitive to further development.

The Metropolitan Area Planning Council is developing an Areawide Waste Treatment Management Plan under Section 208 of the Federal Clean-Water Act (P.L. and the Public Law 92-500) A. R. Miller is the Commission's regular contact with this process, the end product of which will be correction of water quality problems and increased protection against future deterioration. This plan will address the present condition which finds Natick's water on the endangered list because of pollution by local septic system failures, road salt and past construction in wetlands.

The Commission has asked the Mass. Legislature to rescind an existing Act (Chap. 669, Acts of 1965) which permits the transfer of the small pond by Roche Bros. Supermarket (at Speen Street and Route 135) from Cochituate State Park to private ownership. The Commission supports the Lake Cochituate Watershed Association and Mass. Office of Environmental Affairs contention that this property is totally inappropriate for transfer to expand a parking lot, and in fact is an important settling pond to protect Lake Cochituate from excess urban runoff.

The Commission continues to support the concepts of cluster development and permanent open space. It would support a zoning article to permit these as a development option with no significant increase in density over present zoning.

The Commission has filed several articles for the 1977 Annual Town Meeting, as follows:

1. Hunting: We have reworded last year's article to meet suggestions of other boards.
2. Performance Bonding: The Mass. Dept. of Environmental Quality Engineering now will support such bonding requirements, if based on such a Town By-Law. We believe such a device will guarantee increased developer compliance with 131/40 Orders of Conditions, to the Town's benefit.
3. Speen St. Culvert: This culvert, just South of Rte. 135, appears inadequate for present flooding conditions. If the various drainage studies can recommend a solution in time, this article will expedite early correction of the problem.
4. Flood-proofing of utilities: ZBA guidelines would thus be brought into agreement with new requirements under the National Flood Insurance Program.

1976 Action Relating To Mass. Wetlands Protection Act

(M.G.L., Chap. 131, Sec. 40)

(RD) = Requests for Determination of the Applicability

(OC) = Orders of Conditions

(CC) = Certificates of Compliance

(NI) = Notices of Intent

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1. John Carroll - 156 Cottage Street (RD)
 2. Nolan Brothers - E-Z Mini-Storage - Speen Street (OC #233-20)
 3. N.Y. Brothers Trust - Eliot Street (OC #233-21)
 4. Lincoln Property Co. No. 119-West Central St.
(OC #233-19, OC #233-22)
 5. Sun Oil Co. - Worcester St. (RD)
 6. Ronald Porter - Mill Street (RD)
 7. Martin Bernard - Speen Street Shopping Center and Motel
(Informal presentation)
 8. Andrew J. Lane - Country Club Estates Between Mill St. and
Boden Lane (OC #P-2146 D.E.Q.E. Extension)
 9. Paul Livoli - Southview off Pine St. (Condition 11 of OC #233-11
Subsequently denied; Re-issued as OC #233-16)
 10. Mainstone Associates - Orchard Estates off Rt. 30 (OC #233-13)

11. Caroline Cialdea - Worcester Road (OC #233-17)
12. Jehovah's Witnesses - Bacon Street (OC #233-18)
13. Silvano Melchiorri - Mechanic Street, McEwen's Brook (RD, Reviewed)
14. G. Montopoli - Olde Towne Estates, Pleasant Street (Pending)
15. M. Henry - Cottage Street (RD, P.B. review)
16. R. Grassey - Point Street (RD, P.B. review)
17. B. Lund - Broadmoor Sanctuary off Rt. 16 (OC #233-12)
18. Natick Dept. of Public Works - Rathbun Road (RD)
19. R. Testa - West Central Street (RD, Violation pending)
20. Natick Nursing Home - South Natick, (Review)
21. Natick Dept. of Public Works - Morse's Pond Area (Review)
22. Tarpy - Pleasant Street (OC #233-10 Extended)
23. Amabile - Speen Street (Review)
24. Funari - Kansas Street (RD)
25. Nickinello - Pryor Road (Review pending)
26. Ralph Sims - Madison Street (RD)
27. Mass. Dept. of Public Works - Rt. 9 Speen St. Interchange (Beetleback) (NI expected early 1977)

Legal Actions

1. A. J. Lane - Cease and Desist Order (Country Club Estates)
2. Waldo Maffei - Cease and Desist Order (Lot #161, Map #15)
3. Bart Bratko - Cease and Desist Order (Lot #19A, Map #58)

Other 1976 Activities

Town Wide Drainage Study

Modification of Drain at Upper Jennings Pond Dam

Sunkaway Clean-Up Campaign against illegal dumping from adjacent business

Groundwater Favorability Map

Mapping of Existing Open Land

Map Identifying Problem Areas at Country Club Estates

Mumford Land Acquisition Proposal (Sassamon Road) Pending

Charles River Clean-Up (in cooperation with Charles River Watershed Association)

Completed and distributed Natural Resources Inventory for Natick (by U. S. Soil Conservation Service)

Meeting with Mass. Dept. of Public Works to review Rte. 9 Speen St. Overpass plans

New Town Office Building (proposal for Federal Public Works Employment Act funding)

Established Town Policy of limiting Peak Flow increase (of run-off due to new construction) to 5%

Established Town Policy of requiring use of the new Modified Soil Cover Complex (MoSoCoCo) method instead of old National Methods for drainage analysis calculations

Town Meetings

In 1976, the Board of Selectmen reappointed A. R. Miller and appointed R. Capobianco in place of D. Barnicle. Mr. Barnicle served on this Commission for three years; his environmental courses at Natick High School have inspired many Natick students and twice received the President's Environmental Award.

The Commission met 35 times last year. Regular Commission meetings, including most hearings, are held at 8:00 P.M. on the first and third Tuesday of each month in the Town Office Building. Interested citizens are encouraged to attend.

Richard Foley, Chairman

Donald Brown
Robert Capobianco
Anthony Simeone

Shirley Brown
A. Richard Miller
George Wallace

SOLID WASTE RECYCLING COMMITTEE

During 1976, Committee members have participated in the development of a state-sponsored recycling and refuse disposal program which should be of future benefit to Natick. In particular, we have cooperated with other towns in Middlesex County in a voluntary regional organization called the 128 West Resource Recovery Council. This group is planning a centrally located recycling and energy producing facility to economically process refuse collected in member communities. Several potential plant sites have been identified as well as appropriate transfer stations proposed by the individual towns. Natick's current landfill site is in the latter category. In addition, the Committee will be considering the initiation of a local paper, metal or glass recycling program this year.

Bruno T. Tassinari, Chairman
Dorinda Lockwood

Donald Rivin

Carole Holz

BICENTENNIAL COMMITTEE

Volunteers - those who saw a need and filled it - made the Natick Bicentennial celebration a memorable one. Projects varied with the interests of the volunteers; flowers were planted; bus stop shelter erected; buildings restored, painted; shows were performed; material, money and energy were donated - the real spirit of independence is this freedom to volunteer and the committee is most grateful.

Our aim was to make you more aware of where you are and who lived here; our hope was to have some of these projects become part of the fabric of our community tradition.

I, as chairman in 1975-1976, am grateful to all who contributed directly and indirectly in the Bicentennial Celebration, especially to the members of the Bicentennial Committee and the Fourth of July Committee. Gloria DeWitt who took over as chairman of the 4th of July Committee when Mr. McMahon became ill deserves special thanks. The entire Fourth of July Committee - those who took part in the wonderful Parade or contributed in any way to the week long observance - can be proud.

Projects sponsored by the committee are as follows:

Essay Contest - High School Students

April 1975 - Flag raising at Natick Common, Stephen Bacon House and South Natick Square.

Open House at the Natick Historical Society Museum

John Eliot Trail Bus Tour to Boston

Guided Tour of the John Eliot Historic District

Open House at Broadmoor Sanctuary - colonial crafts, canoe rides

Music at South Natick Dam

July 1975 - Conesta Wagon - Fourth of July Parade

Needlework exhibit at Morse Institute - July 1975

Historial Map of Natick

Bicentennial Week in the Natick Schools - April 1976

May Day Fair - Colonial crafts, flag raising, tree planting, exhibits

Special Memorabilia at Morse Institute - Natick History on display still

Slide exhibit at Morse Institute

Needlework Exhibit - May 1976

May 1976 Fair on the Common

Fourth of July - 1976 - Bunting provided for Town Office Buildings

Painted Police Box

Decorated Fire Hydrants along parade route

Funds were donated to the following projects:

Restoration of the 1815 Patten Barn - South Natick

Henry Wilson Shoe Shop Restoration

Broadmoor Living History Permanent exhibit and booklet

League of Women's Booklet - Political update of Know Natick

Multiplex sheets for Natick Historial Museum for display purposes

TO BE COMPLETED

Multi-Media Show using the Natick Planetarium featuring Natick - 1976-1977 to be presented in June of 1977.

Since we still have funds available, the committee voted to assume the costs of printing the Natick History recently updated - \$2,000.00

Bicycle guide of Natick

Full size reproduction of the Natick Historical Map

Rita M. Doran, Chairman

Delight Clay
Edna B. Coleman
Robert D. Coleman
Winifred M. Coleman
Anthony M. Damplo
Peter H. Garland

George Lamprey
John A. Morris
Ruth C. Peinze
Henri Prunaret
Michael J. Rourke
Mary Ellen Womboldt

Francis X. Silva - Special Representative of the Fourth of July Committee



Two views of Natick's Bicentennial Celebration

DATA PROCESSING STUDY COMMITTEE

The activities, in the various Town department offices, emphasize more strongly than ever, the great need of improved techniques in record keeping, processing, storing and retrieving.

These activities to cite a few:

1. Blue Cross employee premium refunds had to be compiled manually, from individual records at great cost of time and money.
2. Police Department 2½ years retro-active pay, holiday pay, court-time pay, and over-time again had to be compiled manually and at great cost of time and energy.
3. Fire Department fact-finding data had to be compiled manually, at great cost of time and energy.
4. W-2's had to be typewritten by extra help at great cost of money, time, and energy.

These are some of the problems that could have been resolved quickly and easily, if the needed data had been stored on magnetic tape, or on magnetic disks for use in a computer.



Data Processing Study Committee Members (from left) Selectman Erica E. Ball, Alexander Malcolm, David Dimmick, Arthur Geissler, Chairman Paul Ladd

The Data Processing Committee, which was created by the 1975 Annual Town Meeting of Natick, and was appointed by the Board of Selectmen, held over 20 meetings during the past 12 months. It has been the contention of these many people that some changes have to be effected in the processing of information and the record keeping in Natick.

The following objectives were expressed last year and the Selectmen sponsored the following articles to help develop some of the recommendations of the Data Processing Committee.

1. To create a Data Processing Advisory Board.
Approved by the Town Meeting.
2. To create a position of Data Processing Co-ordinator. This was modified at the recommendation of the Finance Committee to hire a consultant for no longer than one year.
Approved and funded by the Town Meeting.
3. To create a Data Processing Center.
Finance Committee recommended postponement.
Approved by Town Meeting, to postpone.

The consulting firm of Peat, Marwick, Mitchell and Co., was hired by the Selectmen, after the Data Processing Committee had screened more than six candidates. PMM & Co. has been represented by Partner, Robert Nielsen, Manager, John Sheeran, and Sr. Consultant, Jay Rose.

The consulting firm has been conducting a Feasibility Study, of the Town's data processing needs, with the aid of Simon Mosgofian, D. P. Researcher. A final draft report will be available to the Committee, January 31.

The draft report, will contain an analysis of:

1. Town Pay-roll system.
2. Real Estate Taxes.
3. Personal Property Taxes.
4. Auto Excise Taxes.
5. School Department Purchase Orders.
6. Comptroller's Office records and procedures.
7. Water bills.
8. Treasurer's Office records and procedures.
9. Collector's Office records and procedures.

The Consultants are to also present cost projections for recommended changes and to list the options that are available to the Town.

The Data Processing Committee approved an application to join the Mass. Municipal D.P. Association. The meetings and seminars are available to Natick D.P. Personnel, who may wish to learn how other Municipalities handle their data problems.

Paul F. Ladd, Chairman

David H. Dimmick
Kenneth Levitt
Donald F. Atherton, ex off.

Arthur Geissler, Jr.
Alexander A. Malcolm
Erica E. Ball, ex off.

HISTORIC DISTRICT STUDY COMMITTEE

The Natick Historic District Study Committee has devoted 1976 to study of the West Central Street area. At the completion of the necessary research, a proposal to create the HENRY WILSON HISTORIC DISTRICT will be brought to residents and to Town Meeting.

HOW THE STUDY COMMITTEE CHOSE THE AREA

The proposed HENRY WILSON HISTORIC DISTRICT includes approximately a mile stretch of West Central Street between the down town business district, westerly to the eastern shore of Fisk Pond. Approaching from the scenic Pond, one is plunged into a cozy residential area of shady trees, continuous lawns and comfortably spaced homes. The pride of each home owner is obvious. The area boasts a variety of architectural design including a row of stately Victorian houses, several examples of Greek Revival and the home of Henry Wilson, Natick's most illustrious personality who attained National recognition as a United States Senator, sponsor for the Bill abolishing slavery in the District of Columbia (1862), and Vice President of these United States under Ulysses S. Grant.

Unfortunately, West Central Street, a section of busy Route 135, is a main thoroughfare from Boston to Framingham and West Suburbia. Businessmen see it as a natural expansion of the business district. Several splendid houses have already been razed or drastically remodelled into professional buildings toward the down town end. West Central Street west of Fisk Pond is zoned for Industrial use and business continually seeks to expand through Town Meeting and Appeals to the Zoning Board. It is for this reason that local historians have voiced a desire and a majority of residents have signed a poll asking that their properties be included in an Historic District.

WHY THE PROPOSED HENRY WILSON HISTORIC DISTRICT?

The proposed HENRY WILSON HISTORIC DISTRICT will provide Natick with a continuing sense of its past and its distinctive characteristics. The choice of the proposed area as an Historic District stems from the historical and architectural legacy passed down to us from those who fought the Abolition furor and the Civil War; those whose success as politicians, businessmen and manufacturers during the Industrial Revolution created the street referred to in Town record's as an "ornament" of the Town.

DESCRIPTION OF THE HENRY WILSON HISTORIC DISTRICT

West Central Street is a classic example of homes built by reasonably prosperous businessmen of the Industrial Revolution and Civil War period. It reflects love of family and good taste of the era. It feels good today to walk up this street. Until early in the 19th Century Natick Village by the Charles River, now preserved as the JOHN ELIOT HISTORIC DISTRICT, was

the focal point of Town activities, and the Natick Center we know today was but a crossroad through muddy pastures. In 1719 a hundred acre plot was set aside as the "Ministerial Lot" in the central area of Natick, and later a church and a parsonage were built at opposite corners of the muddy crossroads.

Around 1829 a survey was made for a railroad to Albany and with the coming of the railroad, the activities of Natick Village shifted to the Central part of town. About the same time the Central Turnpike was extended westward through Natick, closely following the route of the proposed railroad. During this same period, an enterprising young man, Edward Walcott, recently from Danvers, Mass., began manufacturing shoes outdoors under a tree in Natick, making more than the local trade needed and selling the excess in Boston. Soon he accrued enough money to buy a parcel of land, in 1833, from Rev. Martin Moore at the junction of Main Street and the newly extended Central Turnpike. Using the parsonage for his home, he built a factory just to the west along the Turnpike, employing about 100 workmen.

Attracted by the shoe business, Henry Wilson, a youth of 21, left his home in Farmington, N. H., December, 1833, and walked to the enterprising town of Natick, Mass. In Natick, Henry Wilson apprentised himself to Wm. Legro, and in a tiny shoe shop called a "ten footer", Henry Wilson learned the shoe business while educating his mind by reading every book he could lay hold of and attending debating groups. Like Edward Walcott and many manufacturers, including Walcott's brothers John and Samuel, Richard Hayes and others, he bought up parcels of land along the Central Turnpike, selling off houses as they were built while making his home amid his modest empire. Henry Wilson's home is now the Natick Visiting Nurse Association at 33 West Central Street.

During Abolition days, West Central Street appears to have been a beehive of activity. Many residents aided black slaves along the Underground Railroad. Edward Walcott was known as the "Father of Anti-Slavery in Natick" and had a hidden subterranean passage in his home.

Many historic figures have lived on West Central Street. The "Nathan Rice House", 29 West Central Street, was built in 1846 by Nathan Rice, long time member of the Natick School Committee and founder of an evening school for foreigners in Natick in 1858. The house exemplifies a Carpenters' Gothic popular to that era. Nathan's wife, Catherine Everett, was a relative of Edward Everett Hale, chaplain for Congress and author of "Man Without A Country"; Edward Everett Hale also gave the dedication speech for the original Unitarian Church where the Town Office Building now stands.

Number 51 was used as a rectory by Rev. John Walsh, founder of the Catholic Church in Natick.

Edward Clark, local grocer and financier of Clark's Block, built his house in 1870 at 70 West Central Street. In recent years it was used by the Elks and as a school and had fallen into disrepair. Its very existence was endangered. The house was purchased by Attorney Arnold Zaltas and,

with concern for neighborhood, respect for period detail and with exquisite taste, converted to serve as a Professional Building. The restoration of this one hundred year old Victorian is entirely compatible with the goals of the proposed HENRY WILSON HISTORIC DISTRICT.

Number 71 was the home of Major Daniel H. L. Gleason, renowned for commanding his troops in hand to hand combat during the Civil War.

Isaac Merrill Fellows, pioneer in Natick's shirt manufacturing, lived at 79 West Central Street as did his sister-in-law, Miss Ella Drury, an expert botanist and a member of the first graduating class of Wellesley College.

An inventor, Edward Olson, developed the portable Kidney Dialysis Machine in the barn at 80 West Central Street in the 1940's. To quote the American Kidney Fund, "It is the most dramatic and successful artificial organ ever developed".

Edward "Piper" Donovan, World Record Sprinter, ran 100 yards in 93.5 seconds, won the great Sheffield Handicap in England, 1893 and was presented a medal by English Royalty. He made his home at 107 West Central Street.

Boston Opera Company Soprano, Mary Clark, a protege of Enrico Caruso and Congressman Charles Q. Tirrell also lived on West Central Street.

The Natick Historic District Study Committee will continue to research this beautiful and historic street in the year 1977. We would like to thank Guardi Hauck (Mrs. Bruce), Courtney Strand (Mrs. Allen), and Dexter Bacon (Mrs. Francis) for their valuable assistance to the Committee.

Natick Historic District Study Committee members:

Ruth C. Peinze, Chairman
Dorothy Deslongchamps, Vice Chairman
Thelma Hayes, Secretary
Donald Brown
Ruth S. Claus

Joseph W. Hall
Helen L. Robertson
Katherine D. Bacon, Alternate
Robert H. Egan, Alternate
F. Lucille Harris, Alternate

HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION

The past year was the first full year of existence for the Historic District Commission, following the creation of the John Eliot Historic District in 1974.

During the year 1975-6 the Commission drafted and passed a complete set of rules and regulations and application forms pertaining to the exterior features of homes and buildings within the District.

The Commission also conducted its first public hearing on an application and issued its first "Certificate of Appropriateness".

A major accomplishment during the year was the preparation of the report, photographs and map of properties for A Proposed Enlargement of the John Eliot Historic District. The Proposed Enlargement, as amended after public hearing, was submitted to Town Meeting and passed unanimously on May 11, 1976. The Enlargement constitutes an amendment to Article XV, section 2, of the Town By-Laws and was approved by the Attorney General on September 27, 1976. There are now approximately sixty properties within the John Eliot Historic District in South Natick, which is transected north and south by Union and Pleasant Streets and east and west by Eliot Street.

The Commission has also formulated plans for the erection of cast-iron roadside markers at the four entrances to the John Eliot Historic District, and is currently working on a proposal for the design, distribution and sale of personal signs to property owners who desire them.

A proposal for a "Henry Wilson" historic district in the West Central Street area, being developed by the Historic District Study Committee, is also underway and will require the guidance of the Commission during the coming year.

Henry Pruneret, Chairman
Ruth C. Peinze
Thelma I. Hayes

David E. Marr
Helen S. Robertson
George E. Lamprey

Philip N. Flagg

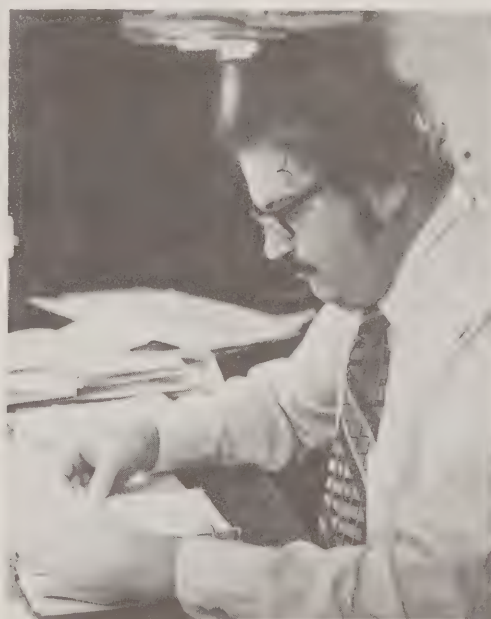
Alternates: David Crockett, Lucille Harris, Dorothy DesLongchamps



Chairman Joel Rosenthal (standing, second from right) and the members' of the Finance Committee



*Town Treasurer and Collector
Donald F. Atherton*



*Town Comptroller John
B. Jennings*



CENTRAL EQUIPMENT PURCHASING COMMITTEE
*Standing, from left: Jackson I. Harris, Chairman
John L. Lelievre, Dana B. Hastings; seated: Ron-
ald V. Clifford, David P. Flood*

HISTORICAL COMMISSION

The Historical Commission has had a busy year. It has worked on three major projects.

It has begun the process of registering the downtown commercial area as a registered national historic landmark. This area retains much of the character of an industrial town center of the 1870's when it was the home of Vice President Henry Wilson.

The Commission has continued to place descriptive markers on early homes and other sites of historic interest.

The Commission is reviewing the final draft of the new history of Natick and is in the process of selecting a publisher. This will be the first major work on Natick's history since Bacon's history which was published in the 1850's. An update is long overdue!

The Commission is always available for advice and assistance. If we can assist you with local history, genealogy, early artifacts, etc. please feel free to contact us.

Mary E. Toohill, Chairman

George H. Ames
Henri Prunaret
Ruth Claus

Edna G. Sargent
John Whittaker
William Talis

Alternate Members
Gerd P. Hauck

James H. Clay

Courtney Strand

SOUTH MIDDLESEX OPPORTUNITY COUNCIL

The Natick Town Forest Committee has installed a series of signs and security gates at the Hunnewell Town Forest and has implemented a program of public awareness of the rules and regulations governing the Town Forest areas. Public cooperation and continued surveillance by the Natick Police Department and various committee members has greatly reduced the amount of littering and unauthorized use of these areas.

Periodic work projects and inspections have served to maintain the Town Forest areas in a more presentable condition.

The Town Forest Committee is most appreciative of the support offered by the various involved Town Departments.

George H. Wallace, Chairman

Marjorie West

James Williamson

SOUTH MIDDLESEX OPPORTUNITY COUNCIL

South Middlesex Opportunity Council, Inc. (SMOC) was initiated in 1965 in order to mobilize and use both public and private resources to provide assistance and create opportunities for disadvantaged people. The work of the agency, over the past decade, has extended into day care and pre-school education, employment training and placement for teenagers and adults, family counseling, health care, alcoholic and prison inmate rehabilitation, housing development, consumer education and protection, and athletic and cultural programs. As the area's Community Action Agency, SMOC provides overall coordination, financial administration, and management for programs operated by its components. It also furnishes planning and technical assistance to a number of area groups and agencies in various fields.

SMOC is governed by a Board of Directors which develops and sets policy for the entire agency. The Board is comprised of one-third public officials, one-third low income persons, and one-third interested area groups. Selectman Erica Ball serves as Natick's representative to the SMOC Board and serves as the elected Vice Chairperson.

During 1976, SMOC has continued to expand its programmatic efforts to more effectively serve low income area residents. Outlined below are the programs that SMOC has developed and presently operates:

- A. Day Care and After-School Day Care Programs for children of working parents, operating centers in Framingham and Marlboro, providing child care, educational, social, health and nutritional services for children, 2½ to 11 years of age. The Centers operate year round, running 7:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m., Monday through Friday. During the past year, six (6) Natick children have utilized the program.
- B. A Head Start Program which provides 130 pre-school age children and their families with an educational experience, medical assistance, and supportive social services. Thirty (30) Natick children were enrolled in the program during 1976.
- C. Head Start Child Care Clinic which, in conjunction with Framingham Union Hospital, operates a Pediatric Clinic for children of low income families in the area. The Clinic provides preventive and diagnostic treatment, screening, audio-visual and Denver Development testing, as well as follow-up care and referrals. During 1976, one thousand eight hundred and sixty clinic visits were made.
- D. A Neighborhood Youth Corps (NYC) Program which provides employment, educational and supportive services to low income teenagers. The Out-of-School Program provides forty hours per week of employment in public and private, non-profit agencies for youths, sixteen to twenty-one years of age, who have dropped out of school. Emphasis is placed on completion of education and/or preparing the individual for permanent, full-time employment. During 1976, fourteen (14) Natick youths benefited from this program.

The In-School Program provides ten hours of work per week for drop-out prone students who are in need of income in order to remain in school. During 1976, fifteen (15) Natick youth participated in this program.

The NYC Program also provides a Summer Program, providing an average of thirty-five hours of employment per week. Also provided are supportive services and recreational field trip experiences. Fifty one (51) Natick youth were enrolled in the program in 1976.

- E. An Adult Work Experience Program which provides residents, twenty-two years of older, who qualify as poor and disadvantaged, with transitional work experience employment. Enrollees are placed in work sites designed to meet their individual occupational counseling skills and interests are identified, and permanent employment is developed. In 1976, ten (10) Natick residents were assisted through this program.
- F. A Legal Program consisting of several attorneys and paralegal staff who concentrate in the areas of housing and consumer law. The housing division is responsible for representation of low income tenants in negotiation and litigation, as well as for informing all residents and area groups of their rights as tenants.

In September 1976 the National Legal Services Corporation provided funding to SMOC in order to establish a comprehensive legal services program. Now incorporated as South Middlesex Legal Services this agency serves low income residents of Natick as well as other local communities.

- G. An Alcoholic Detoxification Center which operates a live-in detoxification unit providing services for male and female alcoholics in the Greater Framingham, Greater Marlboro, and Greater Newton area. Pick-up, intake, medical screening, detoxification, and clinical evaluation, after care, referral, and follow-up are provided seven days per week on a twenty-four hour basis. An Extended Care Program is available for alcoholics requiring continued shelter, food and assistance prior to return to the community. During 1976, over two thousand two hundred (2,200) persons were detoxified through this program.
- H. An Alcoholic Rehabilitation Center (ARC) offering comprehensive services for the alcoholic and his/her family: information, counseling, Alcoholics Anonymous, timely referrals, and follow-up concerning housing, jobs, legal aid, and public assistance. The Center also educates the public regarding problems of alcoholism. A Youth Alcohol Education and Counseling Program is provided, both through local school systems and on an individual basis. ARC also provides a drinking driver education and counseling program (DIAL), administered with the cooperation of the South Middlesex District Court and the Natick District Court. In 1976, over three thousand (3,000) persons were assisted by ARC.

- I. Community Food and Nutrition Program which provides information concerning Food Stamp participation; researches the extent of need for additional feeding programs (women, infants, children, the elderly; school breakfasts) and helps to implement these programs in the area.
- J. An Energy/Winterization Program which works to lessen the impact of the high cost of fuel for low income families in the South Middlesex area by increasing thermal efficiency of their dwellings and by minimizing heat loss through insulation, caulking, weather stripping, and other home repairs.
- K. An elderly feeding program funded through Title VII of the Older Americans Act which provides nutritious meals five days per week at the Natick Senior Center, as well as providing a Meals on Wheels Program. During 1977, this program will be fully implemented.
- L. The Medfield-Norfolk Prison Project which offers inmates at MCI Norfolk Job training, educational, and resocialization opportunities through work experience as psychiatric aides in the wards of Medfield State Hospital. Courses, accredited through Boston State College, are provided with State Certification as Human Service Technician being awarded upon completion of training. To date, eighty-eight (88) men have successfully completed the program, and have been released from prison.
- M. A Housing Development program which utilized federal funding in order to construct low and moderate income housing. The Program also counsels families and individuals on home ownership or rental programs sponsored by the Federal Government.



*South Middlesex Opportunity Representative
Erica E. Ball*

During 1977, SMOC will continue these programs and will continue its efforts to effectively serve the low income community of the South Middlesex area.

Paul Houlihan, Executive Director

COLLECTOR — TREASURER COMMITTEE

We feel that the Town has already accepted the establishment of a joint office for the Treasurer-Collector by virtue of the votes at the polls and at Town Meeting. Part of the reason is that the people feel that some economy of operation might be effected if the offices are combined.

Steps should be taken to establish the legal basis for a combination of these offices at once.

The salary of the present incumbent has been established according to the Finance Committee recommendation without communication with our Committee despite the charge to us to recommend a salary level. We feel that the level is compatible with prevailing salaries in towns nearby.

The question of appointment versus election has not been resolved. We feel that there is no assurance that only the most qualified persons will serve in either case, therefore, the present method of election for a 3-year term seems acceptable for the combined office.

The two offices should be physically combined for efficient use of the Treasurer-Collector's time and the clerical operations, machines, personnel, etc. Since the present Collector's Office is not large enough to expand and is separated from the other accounting functions, we would recommend transferring some non-accounting functions presently housed in the Town Office building to another location and moving the Collector into the Town Office building.

The Committee feels that it would be advisable to initiate a town-wide audit by a firm of independent Certified Public Accountants (one of the "Big 8") for the purposes of reviewing accounting systems and controls and making recommendations thereon.

Since the last state audit was performed in 1971 and all of the town's financial and/or accounting officers have taken office since then, now is the time to authenticate the records.

Edith Alpers, Chairman

Harvey J. Beth

Harold F. DeBruyn

Donald F. Atherton, ex. off.

Bruce A. Hauck

George Trump

MINORITY REPORT

To the Board of Selectmen:

Inasmuch as, on May 19, 1975, you appointed me to the Collector-Treasurer Committee, I assume you may be interested in my opinions regarding that situation and so, herewith, respectfully submit my views on the subject.

By far the most important factor to be considered by such a committee should be the reduction as far as possible of the chance for mis-handling of the rather substantial sums that pass through the Collector's and Treasurer's offices twice a year. First step in that direction would obviously be by having the jobs held by two, non-related individuals.

Although I have the utmost confidence in the integrity of the present incumbent of both positions, I believe--quite strongly--that when he ceases to hold either, or both jobs, the work should be segregated. Another reason is that I feel the Collector should spend his entire time in endeavoring to collect the amounts due the Town. It is my observation that this is not the case when the two offices are held by the same person.

There is no question in my mind that both positions should be appointive. The Selectmen are in a far better position to judge the qualifications required by the two jobs and, by interviews, to pass on the qualifications of the candidates than the voters.

I believe that a full-time person could be attracted to the Treasurer's position for a salary at Level 11 (roughly \$14,000 to \$17,000 per year) and that such a person, plus one clerk, plus electronic equipment could handle the work in that office very satisfactorily.

Douglas Bell, Member

SUPERINTENDENT OF INSECT AND PEST CONTROL

The Town Meeting of 1976 did not authorize any funding under Chapter 132 which would allocate appropriations for the control of certain tree-related insects and diseases in the Town. It is my opinion that this funding should be provided to reduce the incidence of attack to those public shade trees already suffering from a multitude of physical problems. I have so sponsored another article for the 1977-78 budget.

Consideration should be given to the control of the Fall Webworm, which remains in an epidemic condition.

State and Federal control of pesticides continues with a re-examination for the use of Restricted pesticides to be taking place early in 1977.

George H. Wallace
Superintendent of Insect & Pest Control

YOUTH AND HUMAN RESOURCES COMMITTEE

For the past year the YHRC has pursued two goals: 1) To improve the quality of existing work and learning programs; 2) To assess other local youth needs and to respond to them.

Through the Natick Community Farm, located at Memorial School, about 100 youth were able to participate in a variety of agricultural related experiences. These young people grew 20 tons of fruits and vegetables, boiled down 75 gallons of maple syrup, and restored a 150 year old barn. In addition to the products of their labor, \$2,200 in profits were divided among the participants, \$4,400 were earned by Neighborhood Youth Corps participants, and 20 participants earned school credit. Produce was sold to local markets, Boston markets, and senior citizens.

The Community Farm endeavors to meet the needs of the Community's youth in four ways: 1) To provide hands-on training experiences. 2) To develop an appreciation for the community's natural resources through the application of skills that utilize these resources for food and income. 3) To develop self-worth through the production of meaningful goods. 4) To develop community partnerships that provide coordinated and comprehensive services to youth.



Edward Daley and the youth of Natick have restored this one hundred fifty-year-old barn in South Natick.

In addition to the Farm, the Committee operated a garage program that provided low-cost auto care to area residents and auto mechanic training to

area youth. In six months of operation the garage serviced about 100 vehicles at an estimated savings of \$2,000. The 7 youth participants were able to earn \$4,000 through the Neighborhood Youth Corps and the majority of these participants have been placed in automotive related jobs. Unfortunately, the garage is not presently operating but intends to reopen in the near future.

The Natick Job Bank was able to place over 125 youth in 250 odd and part time jobs in area homes and businesses. These jobs earned participants about \$6,000 in income.

Perhaps the most important quality of the Youth and Human Resources is the reliance that it places on the development of Community partnerships. Specifically, the work between the Committee and the Natick Schools, the Rotary and Lions Club, Dial Help, Parks and Recreation, and local businesses and government programs have meant that more effective service has been delivered to area youth with a minimum of duplication. This kind of cooperation reflects YHRC's belief that successful youth work requires active participation from every member of the community.

Unfortunately, there are still many problems and unmet needs facing the youth of Natick. Among them is the need for temporary shelter for adolescents who have run away or who are unable to live at home for various reasons. The need for a community teen activity center is also apparent because of the tremendous amount of free time youth have available to them. The need for family planning and birth control information for youth should be recognized as a problem that needs more critical and open discussion as well as action. A final area that the Committee has spent a considerable amount of time assessing is the need for counseling and outreach services to delinquent and pre-delinquent youth. The Committee is proposing a pilot program that would utilize a staff person as a counselor and youth advocate working in conjunction with the Natick Police as well as other agencies having contact with delinquency-prone youth. Such a program would greatly expand the capability of both the Police and YHRC to effectively service problem youth.

These are the programs presently being operated by the Youth and Human Resources Committee as well as the high-priority needs that the committee feels it must respond to. The members and staff of the Youth and Human Resources would like to extend their thanks to those who became partners in our community-wide efforts. It would also like to extend the challenge of critically assessing unmet needs to the community-at-large in the hope that we can make Natick a rewarding place for all youth to grow.

Robert Brack, Chairman

George Ames
Maurice Kaufman

Carol Ann Ladd

Nancy J. Erickson
Patricia A. Leon

BACON FREE LIBRARY

The Maintenance Committee of the Bacon Free Library appreciates the continued support of the Town for the operation of the library. The report of our new librarian, above, speaks to the activities of this small but valued institution.

Design of the fire egress and other alterations, funds for which were approved last year, is underway and work will be completed by June of 1977.

We would like to emphasize that the library also houses, as a condition of Mr. Bacon's trust, a space in which the Historical Society operates an excellent small museum. We hope that all townspeople will find time to visit and use both the library and the museum.

Rudman Ham, Chairman

Robert Eisenmenger
Donald Phelps

Mary King
Robert White

In January, a new librarian, Frances Clay, took the place of Carol Shedd who became the assistant librarian at the Morse Institute. The services and activities offered to the community have continued in the same forward-looking vein that the library patrons have come to expect and appreciate.

Current, popular reading is readily available; long waiting lists are rear. Through interlibrary loan we have been able to provide materials that we do not own. Along with the many picturebooks, puzzles, cassettes, and children's fiction and nonfiction, we are beginning to add educational games for circulation.

Plants and bright wallhangings have been combined with the historical atmosphere to produce a warmer, more cheerful effect. The garden club has continued to give generously of their time landscaping and taking care of the plants around the building; many thanks to them. A new staff lavatory was built downstairs near the entrance to the museum, a vast improvement.

The weekly story hour for children three to six provides storytelling, finger plays, reading, book selection, movies, and games; a similar program was offered to children five to eight in the summer, and proved to be very successful. Local nursery schools have frequently taken advantage of the same activities. The teachers at Eliot School coordinate with the librarian on a regular basis with the purpose of supplementing the school library's collection, providing library instruction, and exposing their students to an important community facility.

The members of the Historical Society have done a remarkable job organizing and displaying a vast amount of artifacts, samplers, clothing, rare books and photographs, and taxidermy. Community interest in the museum has greatly increased as a result of their efforts and the Bicentennial.

The highlight of 1976 was the display of the South Natick quilt completely hand-made by involved, talented members of the Eliot Church; people came to the library from all over just to see it. The Bacon Free Library is a community library in every sense.

Frances Clay
Librarian

SCHOOL BUSING STUDY COMMITTEE

The School Busing Study Committee has been quite active during the calendar year 1976, having met with the Transportation Sub-Committee of the School Committee on three occasions to discuss the many facets of the proposed busing contract for the years 1977-78, 1978-79, 1979-80; and with the entire School Committee to finalize details of this contract.

We are pleased to say that all our meetings were most congenial with a mutual recognition of the problems involved. Our meetings included Melvin Goodwin of the Natick Bus Company, Melvin Albert (former school busing coordinator), Mrs. Catherine Till (present busing coordinator), Pamela Kaufman and Dight Crain of the School Committee, Craig Young (School Department, Business Manager), and the entire membership of the Study Committee.

Melvin Albert who had been Attendance Officer and Busing Coordinator resigned from these positions this past year, with Mrs. Till being appointed to the part-time position as coordinator.

We have backed and had enacted by Town Meeting a provision that the transportation line items are henceforth removed from the main budget and are now subject to Town Meeting decision, with the Finance Committee having initial control.

We recommend that the School Busing Study Committee be continued by the 1977 Town Meeting.

Russell B. Noble, Chairman

Barbara Chinetti
Marvin R. Gould

Susan Lane
May Kelly

REPORTS NOT RECEIVED

(In accordance with Town of Natick By-laws, Article III)

Section I

Ballfield Lighting Committee
Beautification Committee
Central Equipment Purchasing Committee
Fourth of July Committee
Law Department Committee
Regional Vocational School District Planning Committee

Section II

Housing Authority Financial Report
Redevelopment Authority Financial Report

SECTION II
TOWN MEETING MINUTES
FINANCIAL AND STATISTICAL REPORTS
1976

1976 TOWN MEETING MINUTES

WARRANT

for

NON-PARTISAN PRELIMINARY ELECTION

FEBRUARY 17, 1976

THE COMMONWEALTH of MASSACHUSETTS

Middlesex, ss.

To any Constable of the Town of Natick in said County:

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby required to notify the qualified voters of said Town of Natick to meet:

in Center School 13 East Central Street

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 17, 1976

at 8:00 A.M., at which time the poll will be opened and will remain open continuously until 8:00 P.M. of said day, when they will be closed, during which time the aforesaid qualified inhabitants of said Town may bring in their votes to the Election Officers duly appointed and sworn for said Precinct for said Town of Natick in said meeting so assembled for:

One Trustee for Leonard Morse Hospital for a term of 7 years

All ballots to be furnished by the Town and the election will be conducted according to the Australian system, as enacted in Massachusetts and in conformity with the election laws of said Commonwealth.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting attested copies thereof in each of the Post Offices in said Natick, and at the following public places in said Natick, to wit: Entrance to Selectmen's Rooms, West Central Street, Precinct 7; Natick Police Station, Precinct 1; Central Fire Station, Precinct 7; Town Clerk's Office, Precinct 4; Fire Station, South Natick, Precinct 2; Fire Station, West Natick, Precinct 3; Pole #53 at intersection of North Main and Bacon Streets, Precinct 4; Fire Station, East Natick and Lilja School, Oak Street, Precinct 5; Pole #114 North Main Street opposite Pine Street, Precinct 6; Bulletin Board at Marshall's Department Store, opposite New Road, Precinct 6; Pole #15 at intersection of Everett and Cottage Streets, Little South, Precincts 1 and 2; Johnson School, South Main Street, Precinct 7; West School on Mill Street and pole at intersection of Speen and Mill Streets in Precinct 8.

Above locations being at least one public place in each Precinct in the Town of Natick, seven days at least before February 17, 1976, also by causing an attested copy of said Warrant to be published once in the newspapers called "The Natick Bulletin" and "The Suburban Press", said publications to be seven days at least before the day appointed for said meeting, said publication being February 4, 1976.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this Warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at or before the time appointed for holding said meeting.

Given under our hands this 2nd day of February, A.D. 1976.

William H. White

Daniel J. O'Leary

Peter H. Garland

Alfred B. Grassey

Erica E. Ball

SELECTMEN of NATICK

A TRUE COPY

ATTEST: William B. Rogers
CONSTABLE

OFFICER'S RETURN

COMMONWEALTH of MASSACHUSETTS

Middlesex, ss.

Natick, February 6, 1976

By virtue of this Warrant I have notified the qualified voters of the said Town of Natick to meet at the times, places and for the purposes within specified by posting attested copies of said Warrant at the several locations and places therein designated for that purpose, Friday, February 6, 1976; also by causing an attested copy of said Warrant to be published in the newspapers called "The Natick Bulletin" and "The Suburban Press", newspapers published in the said Town of Natick in the issues dated February 4, 1976, all as within directed.

William B. Rogers
CONSTABLE - Town of Natick

A record of the Warrant and the Officer's Return Thereon.

A True Copy

Attest: Edward W. Devereaux
TOWN CLERK of Natick

PROCEEDINGS

Natick, February 17, 1976

Meeting opened in Central Polling Place at 8:00 A.M. with the usual legal formalities.

TOTAL VOTE CAST: 1037

LEONARD MORSE HOSPITAL TRUSTEE FOR SEVEN YEARS Vote for Not More Than One

Edmund N. Gallagher 86
711 Lakeview Gardens

Joanne T. O'Brien 502
20 West Central St.

George F. Roberts 448
2A Circular Ave.

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A Record of the Non-Partisan Preliminary Election held on February 17, 1976.

Edward W. Devereaux
TOWN CLERK

A TRUE COPY

ATTEST: Edward W. Devereaux
TOWN CLERK

WARRANT for PRESIDENTIAL PRIMARY

THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Middlesex, ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Natick

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town who are qualified to vote in Primaries to meet in

WARRANT for PRESIDENTIAL PRIMARY (Continued)

Precinct 1 - Center School
Precinct 2 - Eliot School
Precinct 3 - Kennedy Junior High School
Precinct 4 - Murphy Elementary School
Precinct 5 - Lilja School
Precinct 6 - Wilson Junior High School
Precinct 7 - Harold Johnson School
Precinct 8 - Natick Senior High School

TUESDAY, the SECOND DAY of MARCH, 1976.

at 8:00 o'clock A.M., for the following purposes:

To bring in their votes to the Primary Officers for the Election of Candidates of Political Parties for the following offices:

PRESIDENTIAL PREFERENCE

DISTRICT MEMBERS of STATE COMMITTEE (one man and one woman) for each Political Party for the FIRST MIDDLE-SEX-NORFOLK Senatorial District.

35 Members of the Democratic Town Committee

35 Members of the Republican Town Committee

10 Members of the American Town Committee.

The Polls will be open from 8:00 A.M. to 8:00 P.M.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting attested copies thereof in each of the Post Offices in said Natick, and at the following public places in said Natick, to wit: Entrance to Selectmen's Rooms, West Central Street, Precinct 7; Natick Police Station, Precinct 1; Central Fire Station, Precinct 7; Town Clerk's Office, Precinct 4; Fire Station, South Natick, Precinct 2; Fire Station, West Natick, Precinct 3; Pole #53 at intersection of North Main and Bacon Streets, Precinct 4; Fire Station, East Natick and Lilja School, Oak Street, Precinct 5; Pole #114 North Main Street opposite Pine Street, Precinct 6; Bulletin Board, Marshall's Department Store opposite New Road, Precinct 6; Pole #15 at intersection of Everett and Cottage Streets, Little South, Precincts 1 and 2; Johnson School, South Main Street, Precinct 7; West School on Mill Street and pole at intersection of Speen and Mill Streets in Precinct 8.

Above locations being at least one public place in each Precinct in the Town of Natick, seven days at least before March 2, 1976; also by causing an attested copy of said Warrant to be published once in the newspapers called "The Natick Bulletin" and "The Suburban Press", said publication to be February 18, 1976.

Hereof fail not and make return of this Warrant with your doings thereon at the time and place of said meeting.

WARRANT for PRESIDENTIAL PRIMARY (Continued)

Given under our hands this 9th day of February, A.D., 1976.

William H. White

Daniel J. O'Leary

Peter H. Garland

Alfred B. Grassey

Erica E. Ball

SELECTMEN of NATICK

A TRUE COPY

ATTEST: William B. Rogers
CONSTABLE

WARRANT for PRESIDENTIAL PRIMARY

THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

MARCH 2, 1976

OFFICER'S RETURN

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Middlesex, ss.

Natick, February 23, 1976

By virtue of this Warrant I have notified the qualified voters of the Town of Natick to meet at the times, places and for the purposes within specified by posting attested copies of said Warrant at the several locations and places therein designated for that purpose, Friday, February 20, 1976, also by causing an attested copy of said Warrant to be published in the newspapers called "The Natick Bulletin" and "The Suburban Press", newspapers published in the said Town of Natick in the issues dated February 18, 1976, all as within directed.

William B. Rogers
CONSTABLE TOWN OF NATICK

A True Copy of the Warrant and the Officer's Return Thereon.

Edward W. Devereaux
TOWN CLERK

PROCEEDINGS

Natick, March 2, 1976

Meeting opened in all eight Precincts at 8:00 A.M. with the usual legal formalities.

TOTAL NUMBER OF BALLOTS CAST: 5408 - REPUBLICAN 1215 - DEMOCRAT 4193

PRECINCT	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	TOTAL
REPUBLICAN									
Vote by	138	129	198	183	201	151	137	78	1215
PRECINCT									

REPUBLICAN PRESIDENTIAL PREFERENCE

PRECINCT	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	TOTAL
RONALD W. REAGAN	43	41	75	52	53	45	46	34	389
GERALD R. FORD	83	81	114	124	141	102	80	43	768
NO PREFERENCE	8	3	6	1	5	4	2	1	30

STATE COMMITTEE - First Middlesex & Norfolk District

PRECINCT	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	TOTAL
RICHARD E. MANELIS	30	25	58	60	70	49	37	22	351
FRANK JUDD	39	38	65	45	60	50	38	25	360
ALICE M. ROODKOWSKY	86	64	98	90	98	84	66	33	619
MARIE B. JARDINE	16	26	44	33	46	33	21	15	234

TOWN COMMITTEE - NATICK - Vote for Not More Than Thirty-Five

DONALD F. ATHERTON	704	FRANKLIN G. MUSSEN	401
WILLIAM J. SPILLER, JR.	468	GEORGE B. KENNEDY	424
RUTH J. LEAVITT	639	JOHN J. LEAVITT	559
JAMES C. ROBERTSON	439	JOHN D. SOWLES	465
GILBERT M. LITCHFIELD	423	BETTY S. O'BRIEN	549
PETER H. GARLAND	670	MYRON J. DOUGLAS	489
GEORGE NAKO	353	DONALD E. HUGHES	519
ANNA E. HAMILL	444	MINOT B. MacDONALD	475
PHYLLIS SPILLER	441	HERBERT A. BLACK II	505
ANNA LEAVITT	519	EDWARD W. DEVEREAUX	680
MARCELLA A. THIBAUT	409	CLIFTON A. BUCHNER	386
WILLIAM B. ROGERS	499	ALAN G. RODMAN	417
FRANCES L. HARRIS	446	CATHERINE G. MATZILEVICH	510
THOMAS L. HUDDY	584	BLANCHE M. EATON	406
WALTER S. PETERSON	541	DAVID B. EATON	424
HENRI PRUNARET	560	WILBUR F. GARABEDIAN	518
ALICE M. ROODKOWSKY	541	JOHN K. GOWEN, 3rd	435
		LOIS A. BLUME	384

PROCEEDINGS (Continued)

TOTAL DEMOCRATIC VOTE 4193

<u>PRECINCT</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
	586	314	781	532	623	649	464	244	4193

PRESIDENTIAL PREFERENCE

<u>PRECINCT</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
ROBERT L. KELLEHER	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	1	5
GEORGE C. WALLACE	79	29	62	73	59	38	48	35	423
ELLEN McCORMACK	32	13	29	30	20	14	22	4	164
TERRY SANFORD	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	2
LLOYD BENTSEN	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
FRED R. HARRIS	65	21	55	47	40	42	51	13	334
MILTON J. SHAPP	12	22	53	24	39	51	18	9	228
BIRCH BAYH	37	13	44	18	39	28	21	11	211
JIMMY CARTER	79	32	75	56	85	61	59	32	479
R. SARGENT SHRIVER	54	27	47	37	37	31	65	15	313
HENRY M. JACKSON	85	56	204	89	119	209	98	58	918
MORRIS K. UDALL	126	89	197	137	167	146	68	61	991
NO PREFERENCE	13	7	13	12	8	7	6	3	69

STATE COMMITTEE - First Middlesex & Norfolk District

JOHN F. DeIPRETE	181	83	278	174	191	210	162	66	1345
MARY F. GILLERAN	223	157	401	283	343	331	250	90	2078

TOWN COMMITTEE - NATICK - Vote for Not More Than Thirty-Five

WALTER T. BURKE	2393	KIRK JOSLIN	1554
LOUIS R. NICKINELLO	2111	ROSE M. LaFRANCE	1139
DANIEL J. O'LEARY	1369	ALFRED B. GRASSEY	1515
NICHOLAS ARTHUR	1231	MARY A. BROWN	1151
JOSEPH M. CONNOLLY	1367	FRANCIS R. GARBARINO	1493
PAMELA J. KAUFMANN	1596	MARY J. TRUNDY	969
ADOLFO ZULLO	1166	OTTO ZWECHER	843
MARVIN R. GOULD	1101	PHILIP SAPONARO	961
WILLIAM J. SWEENEY	1108	JOHN J. HART	1114
ROBERT D. COLEMAN	1123	JERRY J. DiGERONIMO	1266
LEON M. FOX	1082	JOEL ROME	1242
MARY F. GILLERAN	1345	HELEN M. STYGLES	1176
FRANCIS M. KEANE	1474	MICHAEL PALLADINO	976

DEMOCRAT

PROCEEDINGS (Continued)

TOWN COMMITTEE - NATICK (Continued)

FRANCES R. BLOOM	940	MARCIA L. ASH	801
THOMAS J. McEVoy	1202	RALPH J. SIMS, JR.	1075
RAILA E. ATTINSON	869	NORMA A. O'LEARY	1097
WILLIAM H. WHITE	1537	BERNARD F. ROWAN	830
		PATRICK J. MOYNIHAN	1494
		DAVID LINSKY	14
		ERICA BALL	1

AMERICAN - PROCEEDINGS -

PRESIDENTIAL PREFERENCE

<u>Precinct</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

STATE COMMITTEE - First Middlesex & Norfolk District

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TOWN COMMITTEE - NATICK - Vote for Not More Than TEN -

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A Record of the Proceedings of the Presidential Primary
held on March 2, 1976.

A True Copy

Edward W. Devereaux
TOWN CLERK

ATTEST: Edward W. Devereaux
TOWN CLERK

WARRANT

for

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

MARCH 15, 1976

THE COMMONWEALTH of MASSACHUSETTS

Middlesex, ss.

To any Constable of the Town of Natick in said County:

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby required to notify the qualified voters of said Town of Natick to meet:

The voters of Precinct No. 1 in Center School Auditorium
The voters of Precinct No. 2 in Eliot School
The voters of Precinct No. 3 in Kennedy Junior High School
The voters of Precinct No. 4 in Murphy School
The voters of Precinct No. 5 in Lilja School
The voters of Precinct No. 6 in Wilson Junior High School
The voters of Precinct No. 7 in Harold Johnson School
The voters of Precinct No. 8 in Natick Senior High School

at 8:00 o'clock A.M. at which time in all Precincts of said Town of Natick the polls will be opened and will remain open continuously until 8:00 P.M. of said day, when they will be closed, during which time the aforesaid qualified inhabitants of said Town may bring in their votes to the Election Officers, duly appointed and sworn for said Precincts for said Town of Natick in said meeting so assembled for: One (1) Selectman, One (1) Assessor, Two (2) Members of the School Committee, One (1) Public Works Commissioner, One (1) Member of the Board of Health, Two (2) Members of the Recreation Commission, One (1) Member of the Natick Redevelopment Authority (to replace Charles J. Ahearn, deceased) all for a term of Three (3) years; also One (1) Member of the Planning Board, One (1) Member of the Natick Redevelopment Authority, One (1) Member of the Housing Authority, all for a Five (5) year term; also One Trustee for the Leonard Morse Hospital for a term of Seven (7) years; also for One (1) Trustee for Morse Institute Library for a Two (2) year term to fill unexpired term of Ephron Catlin, resigned, whose term expires March 1978; also for One (1) Town Treasurer for a One (1) year term (to fill unexpired term of Chester E. Johnson, resigned, whose term expired March 1977); also Eighty (80) Town Meeting Members whose term shall expire at the next Annual Town Meeting when the Town's Precincts will be increased from Eight (8) to Ten (10) Precincts, so authorized under Section Six of Chapter Ten (10) of the 1975 Acts of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and so voted by the Natick Board of Selectmen on Monday, June 23, 1975.

All Ballots to be furnished by the Town and the Election will be conducted according to the Australian system as enacted in Massachusetts in conformity with the election laws of said Commonwealth.

PROCEEDINGS

Natick

March 15, 1976

Meetings were opened in all eight Precincts at 8:00 A.M. with the usual legal formalities.

RESULT: TOTAL VOTE CAST: - 4356

Precinct -	<u>1</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
	675	416	651	648	584	528	574	280	4356

COMMISSIONER PUBLIC WORKS - For three Years - Vote for Not More Than ONE

<u>Precinct -</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
John F. Kelley 43 Speen Street Candidate for Re-election	406	147	384	419	314	258	369	184	2481
Peter J. Schellenberg 11 Glen Street	205	245	231	179	250	213	171	83	1577

John F. Kelley was declared the winner and he was qualified before Edward W. Devereaux, Town Clerk, on March 16, 1976.

LEONARD MORSE HOSPITAL TRUSTEE - For Seven Years - Vote for Not More Than ONE

Joanne T. O'Brien 20 West Central St.	297	193	333	283	271	196	308	113	1994
George F. Roberts 2A Circular Avenue	286	123	145	265	200	135	204	137	1495

Joanne T. O'Brien was declared the winner and she was qualified before Edward W. Devereaux, Town Clerk, on March 16, 1976.

PLANNING BOARD - For Five Years - Vote for Not More Than ONE

Renzo Franceschi 24 Indian Rock Drive	246	162	266	292	275	254	220	62	1777
Kathleen D. Surman 45 Fiske Street	340	209	310	281	250	217	282	198	2087

Kathleen D. Surman was declared the winner and she was qualified before Edward W. Devereaux, Town Clerk, on March 16, 1976.

PROCEEDINGS (Continued)

<u>Precinct</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
<u>NATICK HOUSING AUTHORITY - For Five Years - Vote for Not More Than ONE</u>									
Gerard F. Higgins 62 Forest Ave. Ext.	318	121	194	320	233	173	293	132	1784
Linda Saulnier 168 Woodland St.	269	245	332	232	272	274	210	99	1933

Linda Saulnier was declared the winner and she was qualified before Edward W. Devereaux, Town Clerk, on March 16, 1976.

BOARD of SELECTMEN - For Three Years - Vote for Not More Than ONE

Daniel J. O'Leary 4 Michael Terrace Candidate for Re-election	478	284	455	448	431	356	417	214	3083
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Daniel J. O'Leary was declared the winner and he was qualified before Edward W. Devereaux, Town Clerk, on March 16, 1976.

TOWN TREASURER - For One Year - Vote for Not More Than ONE

Donald F. Atherton 5 Water St.	484	315	425	458	437	335	408	214	3076
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Donald F. Atherton was declared the winner and he was qualified before Edward W. Devereaux, Town Clerk, on March 16, 1976.

MORSE INSTITUTE TRUSTEE - For Two Years - Vote for Not More Than ONE

James F. Carlin 99 Woodland St.	402	272	408	406	390	306	343	181	2708
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James F. Carlin was declared the winner and he was qualified before Edward W. Devereaux, Town Clerk, on March 16, 1976.

BOARD of ASSESSORS - For Three Years - Vote for Not More Than ONE

Charles W. Emanuelli 102 Glen Street Candidate for Re-election	459	285	388	473	387	314	392	193	2891
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Charles W. Emanuelli was declared the winner and he was qualified before Edward W. Devereaux, Town Clerk, on March 16, 1976.

PROCEEDINGS (Continued)

Precinct	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	TOTAL
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BOARD of HEALTH - For Three Years - Vote for Not More Than ONE

Frank A. East 8 Winch Way Candidate for Re-election	469	293	420	472	434	328	403	205	3024
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Frank A. East was declared the winner and he was qualified before Edward W. Devereaux, Town Clerk, on March 16, 1976.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE - For Three Years - Vote for Not More Than Two

Kirk Joslin 163 Oak Street Candidate for Re-election	349	234	394	324	349	299	274	162	2385
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J. Vincent Saunders 18 Travis Road Candidate for Re-election	454	265	440	436	406	340	411	187	2939
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Kirk Joslin and J. Vincent Saunders were declared the winners and they were qualified before Edward W. Devereaux, Town Clerk, on March 16, 1976.

RECREATION COMMISSION - For Three Years - Vote for Not More Than TWO

Elsie J. Millett 72 Walnut Street	305	208	270	296	293	253	238	128	1991
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John M. Stygles 22 Hartford St.	372	236	485	357	373	304	341	180	2648
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Elsie J. Millett and John M. Stygles were declared the winners and they were qualified before Edward W. Devereaux, Town Clerk, on March 16, 1976.

REDEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY - For Five Years - Vote for Not More Than ONE

E. Davis Woodbury, Jr. 313 North Main Street Candidate for Re-election	389	245	372	400	366	284	343	175	2574
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E. Davis Woodbury, Jr. was declared the winner and he qualified before Town Clerk, Edward W. Devereaux, on March 16, 1976.

PROCEEDINGS (Continued)

<u>Precinct</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
<u>REDEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY - For Three Years - Vote for Not More Than ONE</u>									
Steven E. Adams 2 Winnemay Street	384	224	368	418	378	300	360	148	2580

Steven E. Adams was declared the winner and he qualified before Town Clerk, Edward W. Devereaux, on March 16, 1976.

WRITE-IN CANDIDATE for LEONARD MORSE HOSPITAL TRUSTEE

Edna Smith 2 Larchwood Lane	48	61	112	53	61	132	38	14	519
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TOWN MEETING MEMBERS - Term to Expire at next Annual Town Meeting -

PRECINCT ONE - Vote for Not More Than TWELVE

Salvatore Arena	404	<u>Defeated List</u>
Helena M. Coleman	303	
Winifred M. Coleman	301	Marjorie J. Hastings 247
Edward H. Gleason	314	
Cornelius J. McKeown	319	
Thomas F. Morris	336	
Robert I. Pipe	314	
Bernard Saulnier	288	
Edmund F. Shedd	283	
Richard F. Wright	268	
Frances L. Arena	402	
Mary E. Getchell	248	

PRECINCT TWO - Vote for Not More Than FIVE

Dight W. Crain	247	<u>Defeated List</u>
John A. Hughes	197	
George E. Lamprey	266	
James C. Robertson	203	Joseph P. Schaub 162
Roger G. Weaving	211	

PROCEEDINGS (Continued)

TOWN MEETING MEMBERS - Term to Expire at Next Annual Town Meeting -

PRECINCT THREE - Vote for Not More Than TWELVE

Elected

Thomas A. Doherty	272
Henry J. Fagan	283
John J. Hart	325
James P. Powers	318
Kathryn A. Ryder	283
Linda C. Sussman	316
Marguerite P. Yardley	312
Paul J. Adams	328
Mark R. Forest	231
Janice L. Parsons	230
James W. Woodlock, Jr.	375
John J. Furey	304

Defeated List

David D. Holland	224
David J. Phillips	214
Robert G. Watson	206
John Cary Parsons II	190
Paul C. Buerlen	175
Herman B. Levitz	169

PRECINCT FOUR - Vote for Not More Than TWELVE

Elected

Theresa A. Crespi	306
Henry S. Dowst	247
Gerald E. Dyer	266
Joseph M. Graham	252
Catherine G. Matzilevich	348
David L. Tupper	237
Robert Ward	300
George B. Kennedy	300
Elsie J. Millett	244
Jerry D. Millett	256
Richard J. Murphy	288
Nicholas P. Scianna	241

Defeated List

Stephen E. McNeeley	234
Andrew A. Cecchi	229
Thomas F. Carr	2
Marilyn W. Porter	1
Thomas E. Carr	1
John M. Carr	1

PRECINCT FIVE - Vote for Not More Than TWELVE

Elected

Timothy B. Daly	312
Allan A. Fishman	318
Ida E. Franceschi	295
Renzo Franceschi	313
Robert H. Hedges	282
Richard H. Knight	316
Sumner Segall	273
Joseph E. Storer	267
Leo R. Boudreau II	305
William Gallerani	308
Jacqueline Ladd	35
Robert S. Margil	13

Defeated List

Merna Margil	13
John R. Tole	6
David Prigmore	2
Peter C. Robbins	1
Martha C. Robbins	1
Marshall Lebowitz	1
John D. Moynihan	1
Mary F. Gilleran	1
Charles Stonemetz	1
David E. Moore	1
Richard Weissel	1

PROCEEDINGS (Continued)

TOWN MEETING MEMBERS - Term to Expire at Next Annual Town Meeting -

PRECINCT SIX - Vote for Not More Than TWELVE

Elected

Shirley M. Brown	284
Barry W. Clifford	273
James L. Gleason	219
Marion E. King	231
Walter D. Mahoney	233
Lois M. Masterson	312
A. Richard Miller	288
Thomas C. O'Keefe	230
Edward J. Pons	228
Hannah R. Wasserman	274
Claire E. Brown	223
Robert P. Springer	279

Defeated List

J. William Clark, Jr. 215

PRECINCT SEVEN - Vote for Not More Than TEN -

Elected

Herbert A. Black II	276
David L. Condon, Jr.	285
Joseph F. Giannetti	280
Francis A. Mailhiot, Jr.	218
Walter B. Robinson	259
Edna G. Sargent	238
Bruno T. Tassinari	225
Ronald L. Zicko	215
William J. Belmore	240
Robert F. Driscoll	218

Defeated List

Ernest G. Cardillo	207
Vincent C. Evangelista	178
Roland A. Gallo	166

PRECINCT EIGHT - Vote for Not More Than FIVE

Elected

Dorothy V. Murphy	131
John D. Sowles	124
Cynthia Mae Stroschein	93
Kenneth Levitt	30
Joan R. Mathews	28

Defeated List

Edward Fannon	17
Charles McMahon	3

A Record of the Proceedings of the Annual Town Election
held on March 15, 1976.

Edward W. Devereaux
TOWN CLERK

A TRUE COPY

ATTEST: Edward W. Devereaux
TOWN CLERK

WARRANT
for
ANNUAL TOWN MEETING
MARCH 15, 1976

You are further required to notify the qualified Town Meeting Members of the said Town of Natick to meet in Natick Senior High School Auditorium, Natick

TUESDAY, MARCH 23, 1976

at 7:30 P.M. then and there to act on the following articles. The following articles are to be acted upon and determined exclusively by Town Meeting Members in accordance with Chapter 2 of the Acts of 1938 and Amendments thereto and subject to the referendum provided thereby.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting attested copies thereof in each of the Post Offices in said Natick and at the following public places in said Natick, to wit: Entrance to Selectmen's Rooms, West Central Street, Natick Police Station and Central Fire Station in Natick; Town Clerk's Office, 10 East Central Street; Fire Station, South Natick; Fire Station on Speen Street, West Natick; Pole #53 South Side of Natick Tool Rental, North Main Street and Bacon Streets; Fire Station, East Natick at Oak Street; Pole #113 on North Main Street opposite Pine Street, North Natick; Bulletin Board Marshall's Department Store, opposite New Road; Pole #15 at intersection of Everett and Cottage Streets, Little South; Pole at intersection of Speen and Mill Streets, West Natick; also by causing an attested copy of said Warrant to be published in two separately owned newspapers if such exist, published and circulated in said Town, namely, "The Natick Bulletin" and "The Suburban Press", said publications to be no later than the second Thursday following the first Monday of January, date of said publication January 14, 1976.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this Warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at or before the time appointed for holding said meeting.

Given under our hands this 5th day of January, A.D., 1976

William H. White

Daniel J. O'Leary

Peter H. Garland

Alfred B. Grassey

Erica E. Ball

SELECTMEN OF NATICK

A TRUE COPY

ATTEST: William B. Rogers
CONSTABLE

OFFICER'S RETURN

COMMONWEALTH of MASSACHUSETTS
Middlesex, ss.

Natick, January 19, 1976

By virtue of this Warrant I have notified the qualified voters of the said Town of Natick to meet at the times, places and for the purposes within specified by posting attested copies of said Warrant at the several locations and places therein designated for that purpose, Saturday, January 17, 1976; also by causing an attested copy of said Warrant to be published in the newspapers called "The Natick Bulletin" and "The Suburban Press", newspapers published in the said Town of Natick in the issues dated January 14, 1976, all as within directed.

William B. Rogers
CONSTABLE

A Record of the Warrant and the Officer's Return Thereon.

Edward W. Devereaux
TOWN CLERK

A TRUE COPY

ATTEST: Edward W. Devereaux
Town Clerk

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

MARCH 23, 1976

SECOND SESSION

7:30 P.M. Meeting called to order by the Moderator who stated there was a Quorum present.

The invocation was delivered by the Reverend Robert E. Gibb of the Congregational Church.

The newly elected Town Meeting Members and those recently appointed were sworn in by the Moderator.

The Finance Committee reported through its Chairperson Mrs. Sue Young.

Voted, to waive reading of the Warrant and to waive the reading of itemization in the Finance Committee motions when that itemization is exactly the same as printed in the Finance Committee Report; and to waive the reading of itemization in any motions where there has been a distribution thereof in writing to Town Meeting Members, and to omit reading of the Articles when calling them and to refer to them by subject matter or number.

SECOND SESSION (Continued)

The Warrant for the Annual Town Meeting and the Finance Committee Report were mailed to all Town Meeting Members and the various Town Boards and Officials on Wednesday, March 10, 1976.

The Public Hearing by the Finance Committee on the Warrant Articles was held on Tuesday, January 20, 1976 at 7:30 P.M. at the Natick High School Cafeteria.

The Natick Planning Board held its Public Hearing on Wednesday, January 28, 1976, at the Town Office Building at 17 West Central Street.

ARTICLE 1 (Personnel Board)

To see if the Town, pursuant to the authority contained in Section 180A of Chapter 41 of the General Laws, will vote to amend the By-Laws by adding to Article VI-(a), Sections 2 and 3, a new paragraph deleting certain position titles, adding new position titles and effecting certain changes in the salary ranges as presently established and will provide the money necessary therefor.

Voted, to refer the subject matter of Article 1 back to the Personnel Board.

ARTICLE 2 (Town Comptroller)

To see if the Town will vote to fix the salary and compensation of all elective officers of the Town as provided by Section 108 of Chapter 41 of the General Laws, as amended, and, if any increases are voted over amounts of salary voted for the preceding year, to appropriate the money necessary to pay such increases for the fiscal year 1976-1977.

Voted, that the Town fix the salary and compensation of all elective officers of the Town as provided by Section 108 of Chapter 41 of the General Laws as amended, as follows:

3-3:	Board of Selectmen, Chairman	\$	600.00
	Board of Selectmen, 2nd Member		500.00
	Board of Selectmen, 3rd Member		500.00
	Board of Selectmen, 4th Member		500.00
	Board of Selectmen, 5th Member		500.00

ARTICLE 2 (Continued)

3-5:	Town Treasurer	\$ 5,250.00
3-6:	Town Collector	13,250.00
3-7:	Board of Assessors, Chairman	500.00
	Board of Assessors, 2nd Member	500.00
	Board of Assessors, 3rd Member	500.00
3-9	Town Clerk	19,100.00
3-15:	Board of Public Works, Chairman	500.00
	Board of Public Works, 2nd Member	500.00
	Board of Public Works, 3rd Member	500.00
4-6:	Tree Warden	500.00
5-1 ..	Board of Public Health, Chairman	500.00
	Board of Public Health, 2nd Member	500.00
	Board of Public Health, 3rd Member	500.00

and that the sum of \$5,336.00 be appropriated from the Current Tax Levy to augment the salary of the Treasurer, Collector, Town Clerk, Members of the Board of Public Works, Tree Warden, and Members of the Board of Health.

ARTICLE 3 (Town Comptroller)

To see what sums of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, or otherwise provide, for General Government for maintenance and operation of the following departments and other purposes, for the fiscal year 1976-1977.

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| 1. Finance Committee | 9. Town Clerk |
| 2. Personnel Board | 10. Board of Registration |
| 3. Selectmen | 11. Planning Board |
| a. Executive Secretary | 12. Board of Appeals |
| b. Planning Director | 13. Rent Town Offices |
| 4. Town Comptroller | 14. Town Office Bldg. Maintenance |
| 5. Town Treasurer | 15. PWD Administration |
| 6. Town Collector | 16. PWD Engineering |
| 7. Board of Assessors | 17. PWD Equipment Maintenance |
| 8. Town Counsel | |

ARTICLE 3 (Continued)

Voted, that the Town appropriate the sum of \$926,363.00 for General Government for the maintenance and operation of the following departments and other purposes, for the fiscal year July 1, 1976 to June 30, 1977, to be expended for the specific purposes hereinafter designated, and only for such purposes, under the direction of the respective Boards, Committees or Officers of the Town, itemized as follows:

3-1:	Finance Committee, Salaries & Wages	\$ 8,000.00
	Finance Committee, Expenses	7,561.00
3-2:	Personnel Board, Salaries & Wages	1,390.00
	Personnel Board, Expenses	400.00
3-3:	Board of Selectmen, Salaries & Wages	81,757.00
	Board of Selectmen, Expenses	6,050.00
	Board of Selectmen, Stenographic Service	100.00
	Board of Selectmen, Dues, Mass. League Cities & Towns	1,515.00
	Board of Selectmen, Labor Relations Consultant	8,500.00
	Board of Selectmen, Labor Relations Consultant Expense	300.00
	Board of Selectmen, Publication of Union Contracts	100.00
	Board of Selectmen, Consultant-Data Processing	15,000.00
	Board of Selectmen, Data Processing Committee Expense	500.00
	Board of Selectmen, Executive Secretary	150.00
	Board of Selectmen, Planning Director	550.00
3-4:	Comptroller, Salaries & Wages	44,053.00
	Comptroller, Expense	3,230.00
3-5:	Town Treasurer, Salaries & Wages	28,572.00
	Town Treasurer, Expenses	8,251.00
	Service Bureau Payroll	1.00
3-6:	Town Collector, Salaries & Wages	45,670.00
	Town Collector, Expenses	13,987.00
3-7:	Board of Assessors, Salaries & Wages	59,751.00
	Board of Assessors, Expenses	8,925.00
	Board of Assessors, Processing & Handling Real Estate and P.P. Tax Bills	6,000.00
	Board of Assessors, Valuation Books	2,000.00
3-8:	Town Counsel, Salaries & Wages	25,000.00
	Town Counsel, Expenses	13,958.00
	Town Counsel, Outside Counsel	2,500.00
	Town Counsel, Appraisals	1.00
	Town Counsel, Out-of-State Travel	1.00
3-9:	Town Clerk, Salaries & Wages	56,663.00
	Town Clerk, Expenses	5,350.00

ARTICLE 3 (Continued)

3-9:	Town Clerk, Election & Town Meeting, Salaries & Wages	21,610.00
	Town Clerk, Election & Town Meeting Expenses	13,800.00
	Town Clerk, Election & Town Meeting Voting Machine Maintenance	2,200.00
3-10:	Board of Registrars, Salaries & Wages	8,900.00
	Board of Registrars, Expenses	13,600.00
3-11:	Planning Board, Salaries & Wages	8,888.00
	Planning Board, Expenses	4,275.00
	Planning Board, Professional Planning & Engineering Consultants	1.00
	Planning Board, Print Subdiv. Rules & Regulations	400.00
3-12:	Board of Appeals, Salaries & Wages	10,218.00
	Board of Appeals, Expenses	3,076.00
3-13:	Rent of Town Offices	18,306.00
3-14:	Town Office Building Maintenance 17 West Central Street	10,500.00
	Town Office Building Maintenance 10 Wilson Street	3,125.00
	Town Office Building Maintenance Cleaning Service	3,000.00
	Town Office Building Maintenance Water Cooler	150.00
3-15:	Public Works Department Administration Salaries & Wages	94,393.00
	Public Works Department Administration Expense	25,110.00
	Public Works Department Administration Expense, Out-of-State Travel	100.00
3-16:	Public Works Department Engineering Salaries & Wages	62,009.00
	Public Works Department Engineering Expenses	1,780.00
3-17:	Public Works Department Equipment Maintenance Salaries & Wages	96,386.00
	Public Works Department Equipment Maintenance Expenses	64,750.00
	Public Works Department Equipment Maintenance Repairs to Bulldozer	2,000.00
	Public Works Department Equipment Maintenance Repairs to Gravel Plant	2,000.00

and that said sum of \$926,363.00 be appropriated from the Current Tax Levy.

ARTICLE 4
(Town Comptroller)

To see what sums of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, or otherwise provide, for Protection of Life and Property for maintenance and operation of the following departments, and other purposes, for the fiscal year 1976 - 1977.

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|---------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| 1. Police Department | 6. Forestry Department |
| 2. Fire Department | 7. Dog Officer |
| 3. Militia Rifle Ranges | 8. Burial Officer |
| 4. Building Department | 9. Civil Defense |
| 5. Sealer of Weights & Measures | 10. Conservation Commission |
| | 11. Historic District Commission |

Voted, that the Town appropriate the sum of \$2,564,931.00 for the Protection of Life and Property for the maintenance and operation of the following departments and other purposes, for the fiscal year July 1, 1976 to June 30, 1977 to be expended for the specific purposes hereinafter designated, and only for such purposes under the direction of the respective Boards, Committees, or Officers of the Town, itemized as follows:

4-1:	Police, Salaries & Wages	891,159.00
	Police, Expenses	85,649.00
	Police, Out-of-State Travel	600.00
	Police, Court Quarters Expense	600.00
	Police, Emergency Medical	1,000.00
	Police, Safety Material	500.00
4-2:	Fire Department, Salaries & Wages (Current Tax Levy)	806,875.00
	Fire Department, Salaries & Wages (Revenue Sharing Funds)	493,000.00
	Fire Department, Expenses	53,400.00
	Fire Department, Out-of-State Travel	600.00
	Fire Department, Extend & Alter Fire Alarm System	7,500.00
	Fire Department, Police Alarm Expansion	850.00
	Fire Department, Education Expense In State	500.00
	Fire Department, Emergency Medical	1,000.00
	Fire Department, Clothing Allowance	9,425.00
	Fire Department, Repair of East Natick Station Roof	2,500.00
4-3:	Militia Rifle Ranges	125.00
4-4:	Building Department, Salaries & Wages	56,714.00
	Building Department, Expenses	4,305.00
	Building Department, Demolition	1.00
	Building Department, Auto Repair	300.00
4-5:	Sealer of Weights & Measures, Salaries & Wages	10,865.00
	Sealer of Weights & Measures, Expenses	1,753.00
4-6:	Forestry Department, Salaries & Wages	96,181.00
	Forestry Department, Expenses	18,165.00

ARTICLE 4 (Continued)

4-7:	Dog Officer, Salaries & Wages	12,024.00
	Dog Officer, Expenses	3,975.00
4-8:	Burial Officer, Salaries & Wages	400.00
	Burial Officer, Expenses	1,200.00
4-9:	Civil Defense, Expenses	1,650.00
4-10:	Conservation Commission, Expenses	1,050.00
	Conservation Commission, Maintenance of Controlled Wetlands	100.00
	Conservation Commission, Protection of Wetlands	350.00
4-11:	Historic District Commission, Expenses	615.00

and that said sum of \$2,564,931.00 be appropriated as follows:

From Parking Meter Fees Reserve	\$ 17,441.00
From Revenue Sharing Funds	493,000.00
From Current Tax Levy	2,054,490.00

10:30 P.M. Voted, to adjourn until 7:30 P.M. Thursday Evening, March 25, 1976.

A Record of the Proceedings of the Second Session of the Annual Town Meeting of 1976.

Edward W. Devereaux
Town Clerk

A TRUE COPY

ATTEST: Edward W. Devereaux
Town Clerk

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

THIRD SESSION

MARCH 25, 1976

7:30 P.M. Meeting called to order by the Moderator who declared there was a Quorum present.

ARTICLE 5
(Town Comptroller)

To see what sums of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, or otherwise provide, for Health and Sanitation for maintenance and operation of the following departments, and other purposes, for the fiscal year 1976-1977.

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| 1. Board of Health | 4. PWD Sanitation |
| 2. Dental Clinic | 5. PWD Sewer |
| 3. Mosquito Control | 6. PWD Dump |

Voted, that the Town appropriate the sum of \$656,192.00 for Health and Sanitation for maintenance and operation of the following departments and other purposes, for the fiscal year July 1, 1976 to June 30, 1977, to be expended for the specific purposes hereinafter designated and only for such purposes under the direction of the respective Boards, Committees or officers of the Town, itemized as follows:

5-1:	Board of Health, Salaries & Wages	\$ 79,686.00
	Board of Health, Expenses	12,495.00
	Board of Health, Cooperative Clinics	17,500.00
	Board of Health, Contagious Diseases	1,300.00
	Board of Health, Premature Baby Care	100.00
	Board of Health, Environmental Programs	1,500.00
5-2:	Dental Clinic, Salaries & Wages	6,907.00
	Dental Clinic, Expenses	5,750.00
5-3:	Mosquito Control, Salaries & Wages	16,388.00
	Mosquito Control, Expenses	9,701.00
5-4:	Public Works Department, Sanitation, Salaries & Wages	231,420.00
	Public Works Department, Sanitation, Expenses	4,150.00
5-5:	Public Works Department, Sewer, Salaries & Wages	118,818.00
	Public Works Department, Sewer, Expenses	29,905.00
	Public Works Department, Sewer, Renovate Sewer Pumping Station	25,000.00
	Public Works Department, Sewer, Maintenance & Inspection	1,000.00
5-6:	Public Works Department, Town Dump, Salaries & Wages	34,372.00
	Public Works Department, Town Dump, Expenses	60,200.00

and that said sum of \$656,192.00 be appropriated as follows:

From Sewer Earnings	\$ 155,434.82
From Sewer Surplus Revenue	19,288.18
From Current Tax Levy	481,469.00

ARTICLE 6
(Town Comptroller)

To see what sums of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, or otherwise provide, for Highways and Bridges for maintenance and operation of the following departments, and other purposes, for the fiscal year 1976-1977.

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| 1. Street Lighting | 3. Park Meter Maintenance |
| 2. Christmas Lighting | 4. PWD Highway |

Voted, that the Town appropriate the sum of \$701,299.00 for Highways and Bridges for maintenance and operation of the following departments, and other purposes, for the fiscal year July 1, 1976 to June 30, 1977, to be expended for the specific purposes hereinafter designated and only for such purposes, under the direction of the respective Boards, Committees, or Officers of the Town, itemized as follows:

6-1:	Street Lighting	\$ 156,900.00
6-2:	Christmas Lighting	750.00
6-3:	Parking Meter Maintenance, Salaries & Wages	9,994.00
	Parking Meter Maintenance, Expenses	2,565.00
6-4:	Public Works Department, Highway, Salaries & Wages	324,090.00
	Public Works Department, Highway, Expenses	46,500.00
	Public Works Department, Highway, Snow Removal	140,000.00
	Public Works Department, Highway, Traffic Markings & Signs	6,000.00
	Public Works Department, Highway, Sidewalk Curb Repairs	2,500.00
	Public Works Department, Highway, Sidewalk Construction Betterments	6,000.00
	Public Works Department, Highway, Chapt. 90 Maintenance	6,000.00

and that said sum of \$701,299.00 be appropriated as follows:

From Parking Meter Fees Reserve	\$ 12,599.00
From Current Tax Levy	688,740.00

ARTICLE 7
(Town Comptroller)

To see what sums of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, or otherwise provide, for maintenance and operation of the Recreation Commission for the fiscal year 1976-1977.

Voted, that the Town appropriate the sum of \$345,004.00 for maintenance and operation of the Recreation Commission for the fiscal year July 1, 1976 to June 30, 1977, itemized as follows:

ARTICLE 7 (continued)

Salaries & Wages	\$ 218,920.00
Expenses	35,420.00
Out-of-State Travel	100.00
Custodians of School Buildings	14,500.00
Program for Handicapped	11,527.00
Program for Retarded	13,380.00
Fee-Subsidized Programs	38,520.00
Fee-Subsidized Program (Summer Res. Camping)	10,837.00
Bicentennial Concert Program	1,800.00

and that said sum of \$345,004.00 be appropriated from the Current Tax Levy.

ARTICLE 8
(Town Comptroller)

To see what sums of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, or otherwise provide, for Veterans' Benefits and Veterans Services for the fiscal year 1976-1977.

Voted, that the Town appropriate the sum of \$186,312.00 for maintenance and operation of Veterans Benefits and Services for the fiscal year July 1, 1976 to June 30, 1977, itemized as follows:

Salaries & Wages	\$ 26,582.00
Expenses	3,530.00
Benefits	156,000.00
Painting Office	200.00

and that said sum of \$186,312.00 be appropriated from the Current Tax Levy.

ARTICLE 9
(Town Comptroller)

To see what sums of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, or otherwise provide, for the support of Schools for the fiscal year 1976-1977.

Voted, to appropriate the sum of \$11,355,694.00 for the operation of the School Department for the Fiscal Year July 1, 1976 to June 30, 1977, itemized as follows:

Salaries & Wages	\$ 9,021,129.00
Operating Expenses:	
Administration	66,150.00
Instruction	\$516,215.00
Less Federal Funds	42,700.00
	473,515.00
Other School Services	109,915.00

ARTICLE 9 (continued)

Transportation	361,225.00
Operation & Maintenance of Plant	765,625.00
Building Repairs	223,650.00
Fixed Charges	250.00
Community Services	26,000.00
Acquisition of Fixed Assets	22,235.00
Program with Others	286,000.00

\$11,355,694.00

and that said sum of \$11,355,694.00 be appropriated from the Current Tax Levy.

ARTICLE 10
(Town Comptroller)

To see what sums of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, or otherwise provide, for maintenance and operation of the Morse Institute Library for the fiscal year 1976-1977.

Voted, to appropriate the sum of \$271,967.00 for maintenance and operation of the Morse Institute Library for the fiscal year July 1, 1976 to June 30, 1977, itemized as follows:

Salaries & Wages	\$ 206,602.00
Expenses	65,365.00

And that said sum of \$271,967.00 be appropriated as follows:

From Dog Licenses from County - 1973	\$.96
From Dog Licenses from County - 1975	2,982.95
From State Aid for Libraries	23,292.76
From Current Tax Levy	245,690.33

ARTICLE 11
(Town Comptroller)

To see what sums of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, or otherwise provide, for Pensions and Annuities for the fiscal year 1976-1977, as follows:

1. Non-Contributory Pensions
2. Non-Contributory Annuities.

ARTICLE 11 (continued)

Voted, that the Town appropriate the sum of \$251,100.00 for Pensions and Annuities for the fiscal year July 1, 1976 to June 30, 1977, itemized as follows:

Non-Contributory Pensions	\$ 248,600.00
Non-Contributory Annuities	2,500.00

and that said sum of \$251,100.00 be appropriated from the Current Tax Levy.

ARTICLE 12 (Town Comptroller)

To see what sums of money the Town will vote to appropriate for the Contributory Retirement System for the fiscal year 1976-1977, as follows:

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| 1. Administration Expense | 3. Military Serv. Credit |
| 2. Pension Fund | 4. Workmen's Comp. Credit |

Voted, that the Town appropriate the sum of \$631,963.00 for the Contributory Retirement System for the fiscal year July 1, 1976 to June 30, 1977, itemized as follows:

Administrative Expense	\$ 20,713.00
Pension Fund	611,250.00

and that said sum of \$631,963.00 be appropriated from the Current Tax Levy.

ARTICLE 13 (Town Comptroller)

To see what sums of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, or otherwise provide, for Unclassified for the fiscal year 1976-1977, as follows:

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|---------------------------|----------------------------------|
| 1. Memorial Day | 8. Motor Vehicle Insurance |
| 2. Veterans Day | 9. Public Liability Insurance |
| 3. Care of Vets Graves | 10. Contributory Group Gen. Ins. |
| 4. Town Clock Maintenance | 11. Rental of Vets Headquarters |
| 5. Printing Town Report | 12. Reserve Fund |
| 6. Blanket Prop. Ins. | 13. Council for the Aging |
| 7. Workmen's Comp. Ins. | 14. Historical Commission |

Voted to table the subject matter of Article 13.

Article 13 removed from the table, April 13, 1976, Seventh Session (page 72)

ARTICLE 14
(Town Comptroller)

To see what sums of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, or otherwise provide, for the maintenance and operation of the Water Division of the Public Works Department for the fiscal year 1976-1977.

Voted, that the Town appropriate the sum of \$374,892.00 for the Public Works Department, Water Division for the maintenance and operation of the Department for the fiscal year July 1, 1976 to June 30, 1977, and that the same be expended only for such purposes under the direction of the Board of Public Works, itemized as follows:

Salaries & Wages	\$ 183,147.00
Expenses	126,000.00
Interest on Bonds	8,745.00
Bonds Payable	50,000.00
Repairs to Waterwells	7,000.00

and that said sum of \$374,892.00 be appropriated as follows:

From Water Earnings	\$ 353,948.75
From Water Surplus Revenue	20,943.25

ARTICLE 15
(Town Comptroller)

To see what sums of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, or otherwise provide, for Interest and Maturing Debt for the fiscal year 1976-1977.

Voted, that the Town appropriate the sum of \$1,354,154.00 for Interest and Maturing Debt for the fiscal year July 1, 1976 to June 30, 1977, itemized as follows:

Interest	\$ 413,854.00
Maturing Debt	940,300.00

and the said sum of \$1,354,154.00 be appropriated as follows:

From Sewer Earnings	\$ 59,167.57
From Surplus Revenue--Free Cash	800,000.00
From Current Tax Levy	494,986.43

ARTICLE 16
(Town Comptroller)

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, or otherwise provide, such sums of money as may be required for the purchase of new equipment for various departments.

Voted, that the Town appropriate the sum of \$264,208.00 to be expended under the direction of the Central Equipment Purchasing Committee for the acquisition of new equipment for the various Town Departments as follows:

Treasurer:

1 Payroll Machine (lease 1 year)	\$ 7,517.00
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Collector:

2 Adding Machines	378.00
1 Self-Correcting Electric Typewriter	750.00
Floor Covering for Office	1,000.00

Board of Assessors:

2 Self-Correcting Electric Typewriters	1,400.00
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Town Clerk:

1 Self-Correcting Electric Typewriter	750.00
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Public Works Department, Administration:

1 Self-Correcting Electric Typewriter	750.00
1 Floor Machine with polish/scrub brush	550.00

Public Works Department, Engineering:

Station Wagon	5,000.00
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Public Works Department, Equipment Maintenance:

1 Pick-up Truck	4,900.00
Portable Starting Unit	1,500.00
Welding Equipment/300 ft. cable-4 gauges	
2 Torches	900.00

Police Department:

Canine	2,000.00
Additional Portable Radios (2)	1,700.00
Nine (9) Police Cruisers	40,302.00

ARTICLE 16 (continued)

Forestry:

2 Radio & T. E. Units	1,500.00
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Mosquito Control:

1 Rotomist Sprayer	8,700.00
1 Flatbed Truck	9,000.00

Public Works Department, Sanitation:

1 Rubbish Packer Truck (trade-in)	33,000.00
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Public Works Department, Sewer:

1 Medium Dump Truck (trade-in)	15,100.00
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Public Works Department, Highway:

1 Large Dump Truck (trade-in)	17,500.00
1 Medium Dump Truck (trade-in)	15,000.00
2 Street Sweepers (trade-in)	60,000.00
1 Sander	5,500.00
1 Sidewalk Sander	2,000.00
1 Road Repair Tar Kettle	975.00
3 Two-Way Radios	2,000.00

Recreation:

1 Stake Body Dump Truck (trade-in)	7,550.00
1 Litter Vac	670.00
1 Air Rake	450.00
1 Snow Blower	625.00
40 Swing Seats w/Chain	840.00
1 Adding Machine	301.00

Public Works Department, Water:

2 Hydraulic Worktool Console with Tools	8,000.00
1 Van (trade-in)	5,100.00
Sedan (used)	1,000.00

and that said sum of \$264,208.00 be appropriated as follows:

From Water earnings	\$ 2,102.27
From Road Machinery Fund	35,004.16
From Current Tax Levy	227,101.57

ARTICLE 16 (Continued)

10:45 P.M. Voted to adjourn until Tuesday Evening, March 30, 1976 in this Auditorium.

A Record of the Proceedings of the Third Session of Annual Town Meeting of 1976.

Edward W. Devereaux
Town Clerk

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ATTEST: Edward W. Devereaux
Town Clerk

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING
FOURTH SESSION
MARCH 30, 1976

7:30 P.M. Meeting called to order by the Moderator who declared there was a Quorum present.

ARTICLE 17
(Town Comptroller)

To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money from available funds for the purpose of supplementing the Stabilization Fund, created under Article 22 of the Warrant for the Annual Town Meeting of 1961, as authorized by Chapter 40, Section 5B of the General Laws, as amended, or otherwise act thereon.

Voted, Indefinite Postponement of the subject matter of Article 17.

ARTICLE 18
(Town Comptroller)

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, or otherwise provide, such sums of money as may be required for the payment of Unpaid Bills of previous years incurred by the several Departments, Boards and Officers of the Town.

Voted, Unanimously, to appropriate the sum of \$11,517.32 from the Current Tax Levy for the payment of Unpaid Bills of Prior Years incurred by the several Departments, Boards, and Officers of the Town, as follows:

John K. Brines, M.D.	School (Chapt. 766)	\$ 15.00
Chet's Lunch	Food for Prisoners	29.00
Fair & Yeager	Athletic Ins. (School)	75.00
I.B.M.	Installment pyt. (School)	935.53
L.S. Johnson, Jr., M.D.	Emergency Medical	11.00
Midway Datsun	Int. on Driver Ed. Cars	279.79
Natick Animal Clinic	Services Rendered	257.00
Leonard Morse Hospital	Professional Services (Vets)	1,882.24
B.J. Santoro, M.D., Inc.	Professional Services (Vets)	25.00
U.C.P. Metropolitan Boston, Inc.	Spec. Education (School)	10.00
Eugene E. Ward, Jr.	Cemetery Maintenance (Vets)	60.00

ARTICLE 18 (continued)

West Suburban Radiology Professional Services (Vets)	6.00
Emblem & Badge of Mass., Schools Inc.	16.20
Natick Outdoor Store Supplies (Schools)	41.40
General Learning Corp. Books (Schools)	11.60
Human Resources Inst. Special Education (Schools)	666.50

Total	\$ 4,321.26
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Boston Edison Co. Replacing Cable (Schools)	1,324.06
Edward Fallon Special Learning (Schools)	2,472.00
J.S.S. Salas, M.D. Emergency Medical	35.00
R.G.P. Yuan, M.D. Emergency Medical	20.00
Jerry J. DiGeronimo For Services Rendered	3,345.00

Total	\$ 7,196.06
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GRAND TOTAL	\$ 11,517.32
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ARTICLE 19 (Town Treasurer)

To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1976, in accordance with the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 4, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 17.

Voted, that the Town authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1976, in accordance with the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 4, and to issue a note or notes therefor payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 17.

ARTICLE 20 (Town Comptroller)

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, or otherwise provide, the sum of \$236.01 to cover overdraft as of June 30, 1975 in Contributory Group General Insurance appropriation account.

ARTICLE 20 (continued)

Voted, unanimously, that the Town appropriate the sum of \$236.01 to cover overdraft as of June 30, 1975 in Contributory Group General Insurance appropriation account and that said sum be appropriated from the Current Tax Levy.

ARTICLE 21
(Board of Selectmen)

To hear and act upon the reports of the several Town Officers and reports of Committees authorized by vote of any former Town Meeting and to authorize the appointment of any Committee the Town may deem necessary and to appropriate a sum of money for the purpose therefor.

Voted, to divide Article 21 by Sections - Each section to be voted separately.

Section A. -Voted that the reports of the various Town Officers as printed in the Town Report of 1975 be acknowledged.

Section B. -Voted, to table Section B.

Section C. -Voted, that the following Committees be continued although no reports were received:

Town By-Law Review Committee
Law Department Committee
Bacon Free Library Maintenance Committee

Section D. -Voted, that the following Committee, which did not issue report, be discharged:

Community School Use Development Committee.

Voted, to remove Section B. from the table.

Section B. -Voted that the reports of the following Committees as printed in the Town Report of 1975 be acknowledged, that the Committees be continued for a term of one year, and that appropriations be made where indicated from the Current Tax Levy:

Central Equipment Purchasing Committee \$300.00
School Busing Study Committee
Ballfield Lighting Committee
Regional Vocational School District
Planning Committee
Long Range Sewerage Planning Committee
Solid Waste Recycling Committee

ARTICLE 22
(Bacon Free Library Maintenance Committee)

To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise or borrow or transfer and appropriate for the maintenance of the Bacon Free Library, or otherwise act thereon.

Voted, that the Town appropriate the sum of \$20,920.00 for the maintenance of the Bacon Free Library for the fiscal year July 1, 1976 to June 30, 1977. And that said sum be appropriated from the Current Tax Levy; and to be expended under the jurisdiction of the Bacon Free Library Maintenance Committee.

ARTICLE 23
(Board of Assessors)

To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Assessors to make a reappraisal of all Real Estate within the Town to implement the Supreme Judicial Court Mandate for full and uniform valuations, and to raise and appropriate, transfer from any lawful sources and or to borrow a sum of money for the Board of Assessors to employ the services of competent personnel and or experts to assist them with this project.

Voted, that the subject matter of Article 23 be Indefinitely Postponed.

ARTICLE 24
(Jackson I. Harris, et al)

To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money from available funds in the treasury to be used by the Assessors in the determination of the tax rate for the fiscal year 1976-1977, or take any action relative thereto.

Voted, that the subject matter of Article 24 be Indefinitely Postponed.

ARTICLE 25
(Board of Selectmen)

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, or otherwise provide, a sum of money, to be expended under the direction of the Board of Selectmen, for the purchase and installation of traffic and pedestrian signals and traffic safety islands at the intersection of Union, Eliot, and Pleasant Streets.

ARTICLE 25 (continued)

Voted, that the Town appropriate the sum of \$5,000.00 to be expended under the direction of the Board of Selectmen, for the purchase of traffic safety islands at the intersection of Union, Eliot and Pleasant Streets; and that said sum of \$5,000.00 be appropriated from the Current Tax Levy.

ARTICLE 26 (Board of Public Works)

To see if the Town will vote to raise, appropriate, transfer from available funds a sum or sums of money to be expended under the direction of the Board of Public Works to improve the traffic flow at Pine Street and Oak Street or otherwise act thereon.

Voted, that the Town appropriate the sum of \$3,500.00 to be expended under the Board of Public Works to improve the traffic flow at Pine Street and Oak Street;
and that said sum of \$3,500.00 be appropriated from the Current Tax Levy.

ARTICLE 27 (Board of Public Works)

To see if the Town will vote to instruct their representatives to the General Court after agreement has been reached with the Town of Dover to enable Natick, through its Commissioners of Public Works, to develop a supply of potable water in Dover on land now or formerly owned by the Trustees of the Stigmatine Fathers Inc., and to permit laying of water pipes in Dover and Wellesley as necessary to deliver the water into Natick, or otherwise act thereon.

Voted, that the Town instruct their Representatives to the General Court after agreement has been reached with the Town of Dover to enable Natick, through its Commissioners of Public Works, to develop a supply of potable water in Dover on land now or formerly owned by the Trustees of the Stigmatine Fathers Inc., and to permit laying of water pipes in Dover and Wellesley as necessary to deliver the water into Natick.

ARTICLE 28 (Board of Public Works)

To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Public Works to extend the water mains, to replace existing water mains with pipe not less than 6 inches in diameter on Eliot Street from Memorial School to

ARTICLE 28 (continued)

Everett Street; and Everett Street from Eliot Street to Cottage Street and to appropriate the necessary sums of money or otherwise act thereon.

Voted, that the subject matter of Article 28 be Indefinitely Postponed.

ARTICLE 29
(Board of Public Works)

To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Public Works to extend water mains, to replace existing water mains with pipe not less than 6 inches in diameter on Keane Road from Oak Street to Cooper Road; Orchard Road from Oak Street to Byron Road; Byron Road from Orchard Road to Worcester Street and to appropriate the necessary sums of money or otherwise act thereon.

Voted, that the Town vote to authorize the Board of Public Works to extend water mains, to replace existing water mains with pipe not less than six (6) inches in diameter on the following streets:

Keane Road from Oak Street to Cooper Road	\$ 9,300.00
Orchard Road from Oak Street to Byron Road	20,950.00
Byron Road from Orchard Road to Worcester St.	11,500.00

and that said sum of \$41,750.00 be appropriated as follows:

From unencumbered balance - Replace Water Mains - Border Road, Article 35, ATM 1973	5,284.56
From Current Tax Levy	36,465.44

ARTICLE 30
(Board of Public Works)

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum or sums of money to construct an overflow drain from Dug Pond to Fisk Pond as recommended by the Coffin and Richardson Report on Sanitary Landfill for Solid Waste Disposal or otherwise act thereon.

Voted, that the subject matter of Article 30 be Indefinitely Postponed.

10:25 P.M. Voted to adjourn until next Thursday Evening in this Auditorium,
April 1, 1976.

A Record of the Proceedings of the Fourth Session of the Annual Town
Meeting of 1976.

Edward W. Devereaux

Town Clerk

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Edward W. Devereaux

Town Clerk

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

FIFTH SESSION

APRIL 1, 1976

7:30 P.M. Meeting called to order by the Moderator who declared there
was a Quorum present.

ARTICLE 31

(Board of Public Works)

To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for the
design and cost estimates of a sanitary sewer system in the South Natick
area or otherwise act thereon.

Voted, to table the subject matter of Article 31.

ARTICLE 32

(Board of Public Works)

To see if the Town will vote to raise, appropriate, transfer from
available funds or otherwise provide a sum or sums of money for the
following projects:

ARTICLE 32 (Continued)

To resurface, reconstruct or drain Union Street from Lincoln Square to Eliot Street and South Main Street from Cottage Street to the Sherborn town line or otherwise act thereon.

Voted, that the Town authorize the Board of Public Works to resurface, reconstruct or drain the following streets:

Union Street from Lincoln Square to Eliot Street	\$ 65,500.00
S. Main St. from Cottage St. to the Sherborn Line	51,500.00
and that the sum of \$117,000.00 be appropriated as follows:	
From Chapter 825, Acts of 1974 Highway Fund	\$ 48,500.00
From Chapter 768, Acts of 1969, Sec. 4, Hghwy Fund	16,919.31
From Current Tax Levy	51,580.69

ARTICLE 33 (Board of Public Works)

To see if the Town will vote to accept the provisions of Section 6M of Chapter 40 of the General Laws as inserted by Chapter 332 of the Acts of 1975 relative to making repairs on private ways and assessing betterments to the abutters for benefit or advantage received or otherwise act thereon.

Voted, that the Town accept the provisions of Section 6M of Chapter 40 of the General Laws as inserted by Chapter 332 of the Acts of 1975 relative to making repairs on private ways and assessing betterments to the abutters for benefit or advantage received.

ARTICLE 34 (Board of Public Works)

To see if the Town will vote to accept the following streets as the same has been laid out and filed by the Board of Public Works:

Michael Terrace from Station 1+50 to Station 6+44.40

or otherwise act thereon.

Voted, that the Town accept Michael Terrace as it has been laid out and filed by the Board of Public Works, from Station 2+50 to Station 6.44.40.

ARTICLE 35
(Board of Selectmen)

To see if the Town will vote to amend Article II-(b), Other Administrative Employees, by adding at the end thereof the following:

Part C: Data Processing Coordinator

1. There shall be a Data Processing Coordinator, appointed by and responsible to the Board of Selectmen, who shall be competent by virtue of professional training and experience in automatic data processing.
2. The Data Processing Coordinator shall supervise and control the Data Processing Center, a Department of the Town established for the purpose of providing programs or systems for the collection, processing, storage and retrieval of information, and the preparation of reports.
3. Insofar as may be accomplished without conflicting with the powers and duties reposed in the Departments, Offices, Boards, Committees, and Agencies of the Town of Natick, including the School Department, all data processing systems and services shall be centralized at the earliest practicable time, and shall be placed in the Data Processing Center.
4. With the assistance of the Data Processing Advisory Board, (see Article XV), the Data Processing Coordinator shall have the following powers and duties:
 - (a) The Coordinator with the assistance of the Advisory Board, consistent with G.L. Chapter 41, Sec. 23D, and all fiscal and budgetary requirements, shall cause to be brought together under the jurisdiction of the Town's budgetary systems all data processing systems and services in the several Offices and Departments, including the School Department, into one centralized system or unit of operation as soon as the same can practically be accomplished. Prior to the accomplishment of this objective, the Coordinator shall assist the various Town Departments referred to above as to current data processing systems and services, including the use of service bureaus.
 - (b) The Coordinator shall develop and design systems for the maximum utilization of data processing equipment in order to provide the Town with those data processing systems which best suit the needs of the Town for data processing services as are economically feasible and practical.

ARTICLE 35 (Continued)

- (c) The Coordinator shall approve all present and future applications to be made of the data processing equipment and systems in the several offices and departments under the budgetary jurisdiction of the Town.
 - (d) All offices and departments under the budgetary jurisdiction of the Town shall cooperate to the fullest extent with said Coordinator provided, however, that no such office or department shall be required to do anything in this connection which would conflict or be inconsistent with lawful, proper or necessary conduct of its duties as provided by any federal, state or local law, by-law, rule or regulation.
 - (e) Each office or department of the Town utilizing any service provided by the data processing equipment covered by this Article shall have such control over the data supplied to and received from such equipment as such office or department finds is necessary to conduct its own affairs.
 - (f) Security of data, issuance of reports, extracts from data files, forms, control, operations, commitments, costs of services when appropriate or necessary, training and user approvals as they relate to the Data Processing Center shall be considered appropriate subjects to be covered by rules and regulations to be promulgated by the Coordinator with the assistance and approval of the Advisory Board as herein authorized.
5. Although municipal records are generally of a public nature, it is recognized that certain data to be processed through the Data Processing Center is of a classified or confidential nature. The Department head of any board, commission or other official tribunal having control of such classified or confidential data shall notify the Data Processing Coordinator in writing of the classified or confidential nature of the data, who shall thereafter take the necessary steps to protect such classified or confidential data.

It shall be a misdemeanor for any person to disclose or make known in any manner the contents or nature of any data while in the custody of the Data Processing Center

ARTICLE 35 (Continued)

for processing, or any data originated by the Data Processing Center, without the express consent of the Data Processing Coordinator or his duly authorized representative, without the express consent of the head of the department, board, commission or other official tribunal supplying the basic information; or tamper with, change, alter or destroy any data while in the custody of the Data Processing Center except in accordance with approved programs for processing the data. Whoever violates any provision of this section shall be subject to the penalty specified in Article IX of the Town By-Laws.

6. The Board of Selectmen shall appoint the Data Processing Coordinator after hearing the recommendation of the Data Processing Advisory Board. The term of appointment of the Coordinator shall be for one or three years, as determined by the Board of Selectmen, and his compensation and other conditions of employment not in conflict herewith shall be established under Article VI-(a) of the Town By-Laws.

Voted, Counted Vote - In favor - 95

Opposed - 66 - that the subject matter of Article 35 be Indefinitely Postponed.

ARTICLE 36 (Board of Selectmen and Tree Warden)

To see if the Town will vote to amend the Natick By-Laws Article VI, Section 5 as follows:

"To delete the last sentence of Section 5 and add thereto the following:

The Chairman of said Finance Committee shall appoint the necessary sub-committees to meet with all Town department heads, either elected or appointed as the case may be, on or before June 15 and November 15 of each calendar year."

or otherwise act thereon.

Voted, Indefinite Postponement of the subject matter of Article 36.

ARTICLE 37
(Personnel Board)

To see if the Town will vote to amend Article VI-a, Section 13 - Sick Leave, sub-section B, by deleting the words "one hundred and twenty (120) days", and substituting the words "one hundred and sixty-five (165) days."

Voted, that the Town amend Article VI-a, Section 13 - Sick Leave, sub-section B, by deleting the words "one hundred and twenty (120) days", and substituting the words "one hundred and sixty-five (165) days."

ARTICLE 38
(Finance Committee)

To see if the Town will vote to amend its By-Laws by adding a new Article as follows:

ARTICLE VI
Staffing Controls

Section 1. No Town Department, Department Head, Board, Commission or Committee shall, without prior Annual Town Meeting approval, (a) increase the number of personnel employed by said Department, Board, Commission or Committee or (b) change any part-time employee to full-time employee without having first obtained an affirmative vote in favor of such increase in personnel or change of position from (1) the Personnel Board, (2) the Board of Selectmen and (3) the Finance Committee.

or otherwise act thereon.

Voted, Indefinite Postponement of the subject matter of Article 38.

ARTICLE 39
(Board of Selectmen)

To see if the Town will vote to amend Article VII of its By-Laws, entitled "Police Regulations", by adding thereto the following new Section:

Whoever disseminates to a minor any matter harmful to minors, knowing it to be harmful to minors, or has in his possession any such matter with the intent to disseminate the same to minors, shall be punished by a fine not exceeding fifty dollars for each offense and to a like fine for each day's continuance of such violation.

The following words shall, for purposes of this by-law, have the following meanings:

ARTICLE 39 (Continued)

"Disseminate", to import, publish, produce, print, manufacture, distribute, sell, lease, exhibit or display.

"Minor", an unmarried person under eighteen years of age.

"Harmful to minors", matter is harmful to minors if it is obscene or, if taken as a whole, it (1) describes or represents nudity, sexual conduct or sexual excitement so as to appeal predominantly to the prurient interest of minors; (2) is patently contrary to prevailing standards of adults in the commonwealth as to suitable material for such minors; and (3) lacks serious literary, artistic, political or scientific value for minors.

"Knowing", a general awareness of the character of the matter or a failure to exercise a reasonable inspection which would disclose the content and character of the matter.

"Nudity", uncovered or less than opaquely covered human genitals, pubic areas, the post-pubertal human female breast below a point immediately above the top of the areola, or the covered male genitals in a discernibly turgid state. For purposes of this definition a female breast is considered uncovered if the nipple only or the nipple or areola only are covered.

"Matter", any printed material, visual representation, live performance, or sound recording including but not limited to, books, magazines, motion picture films, pamphlets, phonographic records, pictures, photographs, figures, statues, plays, dances.

"Obscene", matter is obscene if taken as a whole it (1) appeals to prurient interest of the average person, applying the contemporary standards of the Commonwealth; (2) depicts or describes sexual conduct in a patently offensive way; and (3) lacks serious literary, artistic, political or scientific value.

"Sexual excitement", the condition of human male or female genitals or the human female breast, while in a state of sexual stimulation or the sensual experiences of humans engaging in or witnessing sexual conduct or nudity.

"Sexual Conduct", human masturbation, sexual intercourse actual or simulated, or any touching of the genitals, pubic areas or buttocks of the human male or female, or the breasts of females, whether alone or between members of the same or opposite sex or between humans and animals, any depiction or representation of excretory functions, any lewd exhibitions of the genitals, flagellation or torture in the context of a sexual relationship. Sexual intercourse is simulated when it depicts explicit sexual intercourse which gives the appearance of the consummation of sexual intercourse.

Voted, Indefinite Postponement of the subject matter of Article 39.

ARTICLE 40
(Conservation Commission)

To see if the Town will vote to amend Article VII, Section 15 of the Town By-Laws, by deleting the Section in its entirety and adding the following new Section 1e:

Section 15.

- (a) No person shall fire or discharge any firearms nor shall use bow and arrow, which arrow is equipped with metal or other dangerous tip, within 150 feet of a highway or street nor within 500 feet of any dwelling or building.
- (b) Beyond the prohibitions set forth in paragraph (a), and for the sole purpose of hunting, annual written permission of the owner or person having control of land either public or private is required and such permission shall be recorded with the Natick Police Department prior to carrying firearms or arrow on said land.
- (c) No person shall fire or discharge within the limits of the Town of Natick, except on a range or in an area approved by the Chief of Police and the Selectmen in writing, any rifle or revolver of twenty-two (22) caliber or larger.
- (d) Nothing in this By-Law shall prohibit the lawful defense of life or property, the use of firearms by police or other law enforcement officers, or to any military exercise or funeral.

Voted, to refer the subject matter of Article 40 back to the Conservation Commission.

ARTICLE 41
(Historic District Commission)

To see if the Town will vote to enlarge the John Eliot Historic District, so as to include within the District those additional properties shown as "Proposed additional to the John Eliot Historic District" on a Plan entitled "Proposed Enlargement of John Eliot Historic District", drawn by the Natick Department of Public Works (scale 1" equals 100'), dated August 28, 1975, said plan being on record with the Town Clerk, by adding to Article XV, Section 2, Paragraph 2 of its By-Laws, the following additional sub-paragraph:

And said Historic District is hereby enlarged under the provisions of the Historic Districts Act, General Laws, Chapter 40C, as amended, said enlarged District being described as follows:

As shown on a Plan entitled "Proposed Enlargement of John Eliot Historic District", drawn by Natick Department of Public Works (Scale 1" equals 100') dated August 28, 1975, revised November 6, 1975, said plan being on record with the Town Clerk.

Voted, that the subject matter of Article 41 be by-passed.

ARTICLE 42
(Board of Selectmen)

To see if the Town will vote to amend Article XV, Other Boards, Commissions, and Departments, by adding at the end thereof the following:

Section 3:

a. There shall be a Data Processing Advisory Board who shall assist the Data Processing Coordinator in planning and scheduling the use of the Data Processing Center, as provided in Article 11-(a), part C.

b. Said Board shall be composed of nine (9) members, five (5) of whom shall be appointed by the Board of Selectmen from within the Town and shall not be full-time employees of the Town. The Town Treasurer, Town Comptroller, School Department Business Manager, and Executive Secretary to the Board of Selectmen shall be members of said Board by virtue of the positions held by them. When available, four (4) of said five (5) members appointed by the Board of Selectmen shall possess technical knowledge and experience in the field of data processing systems and services. Except for the initial appointments the members of the Board appointed by the Board of Selectmen shall serve for three (3) year terms commencing May first. The initial appointments made by the Board of Selectmen shall be such that two (2) members are appointed for one (1) year, two (2) members for two (2) years, and one (1) member for three (3) years. In the event of a vacancy occurring in the membership other than by the expiration of the term of a member, the Board of Selectmen shall within thirty (30) days after the vacancy occurs appoint a successor to serve for the balance of the unexpired term.

c. Meetings of said Board are to be held at least four (4) times each calendar year, but the Chairman or a majority of said Board may call a meeting at any and all reasonable times. At all meetings of said Board five (5) members shall constitute a quorum.

d. The members of said Board shall annually within thirty (30) days after the annual appointments are made by the Board of Selectmen elect from its membership a Chairman, Vice-Chairman and Clerk, who shall serve as such during the ensuing year and until a successor is duly elected and qualified.

e. The powers and duties conferred upon the Board by this By-law shall be exercised by vote adopted by a majority of its members. Each such vote shall be recorded in minutes of meetings for such purposes and shall be attested by the signature of the Clerk. Said Board shall have and exercise such powers and duties as are more particularly set forth, both herein and in Article 11-(a), part C. In addition, the Board shall

ARTICLE 42 (Continued)

assist the Coordinator in supervision, control, regulation and management of the Data Processing Center, shall assist the coordinator in making and enforcing, and shall approve all necessary and desirable rules and regulations for the exercise of the powers and duties conferred upon said Department.

Voted, to table the subject matter of Article 42.

Article 42 removed from the table - Sixth Session - April 6, 1976. (Page 59)

ARTICLE 43 (Board of Selectmen)

To see if the Town will vote to amend its By-Laws by deleting Article IX - Penalty in its entirety and substituting therefor a new Article IX entitled Building Regulations which shall read as follows:

- Article IX - Building Regulations

Section 1. Each permit, order and certificate issued by the Building Inspector shall bear a serial number and date, identical on all copies, and shall definitely locate the premises referred to, by street and number or otherwise.

Section 2. Identification of Structures by Street Number. At the time of issuing a certificate of occupancy for a building or structure, whether same be new, added to or altered, or for a change or occupancy if no street number has been assigned thereto, the Building Inspector shall, wherever it is practicable, assign a number or numbers in accordance with the existing numbering system. The Building Inspector shall also assign and order street numbers in accordance with the said system to be affixed or displayed on any buildings not already so numbered on any street. Such numbers shall be affixed or displayed in such a manner as to be readily visible from the street. Owners shall be allowed ten (10) days after the giving of written notice by the Building Inspector to comply with such order.

ARTICLE 43 (Continued)

Section 3. Fees

A fee schedule for permits and certificates may be established or amended by the Selectmen and the Building Inspector after due notice has been given by publication in a local newspaper at least fourteen (14) days prior to approval.

or otherwise act thereon.

Voted, that the Town amend its By-Laws by deleting Article IX - Penalty in its entirety and substituting therefor a new Article IX entitled Building Regulations which shall read as follows:

Article IX - Building Regulations

Section 1. Each permit, order and certificate issued by the Building Inspector shall bear a serial number and date, identical on all copies, and shall definitely locate the premises referred to, by street and number or otherwise.

Section 2. Identification of Structures by Street Number. At the time of issuing a certificate of occupancy for a building or structure, whether same be new, added to or altered, or for a change of occupancy if no street number has been assigned thereto, the Building Inspector shall, wherever it is practicable, assign a number or numbers in accordance with the existing numbering system. The Building Inspector shall also assign and order street numbers in accordance with the said system to be affixed or displayed on any buildings not already so numbered on any street. Such numbers shall be affixed or displayed in such a manner as to be readily visible from the street. Owners shall be allowed ten (10) days after the giving of written notice by the Building Inspector to comply with such order.

Section 3. Fees. A fee schedule for permits and certificates may be established or amended by the Selectmen and the Building Inspector after due notice has been given by publication in a local newspaper at least fourteen (14) days prior to approval.

ARTICLE 43 (Continued)

APPROVAL OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL

Boston, Mass.

August 10, 1976

The foregoing amendment to the general By-laws
adopted under Article 43 of the Warrant is hereby
approved.

S/Francis X. Bellotti
Attorney General

A True Copy

Attest: Edward W. Devereaux
Town Clerk

(Published according to law)

ARTICLE 44
(Board of Selectmen)

To see if the Town will vote to amend its By-Laws by adding a new
Article, Article XVII entitled "Penalty" which shall read as follows:

Section 1. Whoever violates any provisions of the
Town By-Laws shall, where authorized
by the General Laws and in cases not
otherwise provided for, forfeit and pay
for each offense a fine not exceeding
fifty (\$50.00) dollars.

or otherwise act thereon.

Voted, that the Town amend its By-Laws by adding a new Article, Article
XVII entitled "Penalty" which shall read as follows: -

Section 1. Whoever violates any provisions of the
Town By-Laws shall, where authorized
by the General Laws and in cases not
otherwise provided for, forfeit and pay
for each offense a fine not exceeding
fifty (\$50.00) dollars.

ARTICLE 44 (Continued)

APPROVAL OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL

Boston, Mass.

August 10, 1976

The foregoing amendment to the general By-Laws adopted under Article 44 of the Warrant is hereby approved.

S/Francis X. Bellotti
Attorney General

A True Copy

Attest: Edward W. Devereaux
Town Clerk

(Published according to Law)

ARTICLE 45
(Lee Romanow, et al)

To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Laws of the Town of Natick as follows:

1. In Section I Subsection I E DEFINITIONS by striking the definition of "Central-Type Apartment House" and inserting therefor the following:
"An apartment house of one or more levels with more than eight (8) apartments, each such apartment house providing at least one (1) major stairway and no less than two (2) separate and direct means of egress from the building" and by striking the definition of "Garden Type Apartment House" and inserting therefor the following:
"An apartment house of one or two stories above grade with not more than eight (8) apartments all served by two means of egress from the building, at least one of which shall be a primary entrance."
2. In Section IVB INTENSITY REGULATIONS BY ZONING DISTRICTS
 - (a) By striking under the headings "Area" and "Depth" opposite the District Designation "PCD" the following figures respectively, "1,500,000" and "1000", and inserting therefor the following figures respectively, "750,000" and "600".

ARTICLE 45 (Continued)

(b) By striking footnote "r" and substituting therefor a new footnote "r" as follows:

"r" In a PCD District there shall be at least two (2) apartment building types no one type of which shall constitute more than 75 per cent nor less than 25 per cent of the number of all buildings constructed. Such ratio shall be applied to any portion of the entire tract designed for 600 dwelling units or less (subarea) called for above in Section IVB, footnote "p".

3. In Section VE MINIMUM RESIDENTIAL FLOOR AREA, by changing the period to a semi-colon at the end thereof and adding thereafter the following:

"Provided, however, that in multi-residential districts RM, PCD, and SH the Minimum Residential Floor Area for a studio apartment shall be 450 sq. ft. and for a single bedroom apartment, 650 sq. ft."

or otherwise act thereon.

Voted, that the subject matter of Article 45 be indefinitely postponed.

ARTICLE 46 (Conservation Commission)

To see if the Town will vote to amend its Zoning By-Laws Section II, Item II B, Sub-Section 1, entitled Location of Districts (Zones), by superimposing (overlying) on the Zoning Map of Natick as a Flood Plain District all of those lands designated as "Special Flood Hazard Areas" as identified on a revised map entitled "Special Flood Hazard Area Identification dated 1976 (Revised FIA Flood Hazard Boundary Maps)" prepared by the Department of Housing and Urban Development, Federal Insurance Administration, said map on file with the Natick Town Clerk, with the exception of the existing Flood Plain District (Article 77, Annual Town Meeting 1973 located in the "Northeast Quadrant" of the "Zoning Map of Natick, Mass.", the Pine-Oak Watershed-Sunkaway area), which will be retained in the boundaries of the parcel as described therein, or otherwise act thereon.

Voted, to refer the subject matter of Article 46 to the Conservation Commission.

ARTICLE 47
(Joseph G. Cabo, et al)

To see if the Town will vote to amend its Zoning By-Laws Section II, Item II-B, Subsection I entitled "Location of Districts (Zones)" by Changing those areas which are not presently zoned Commercial II to Commercial II and which are located in the "Southwest Quadrant" of the Zoning Map of Natick, Massachusetts. Dated 1974, also located on Natick Assessors Map, Page 41 & 42 encompassing the following lots: 85A, 85B, 86A, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92A, 92B, 92C and 34.

The perimeter of the area to be totally zoned Commercial II is described as follows:

Beginning at a point at the intersection of the center line of West Central Street and the centerline of Speen Street.

Northerly along the center line of Speen Street to the centerline of the Penn Central Transportation Company, monumented railroad base line.

Thence easterly along the centerline of said Penn Central Transportation Company, monumented railroad base line to the centerline of a state culvert under the railroad located at the end of lot 34 on Map 42.

Southerly along the centerline of said culvert down the centerline of the culvert under West Central Street to the centerline of West Central Street.

Easterly along the centerline of West Central Street to the point of beginning.

or otherwise act thereon.

Voted, to refer the subject matter of Article 47 to the Planning Board.

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

SIXTH SESSION

APRIL 6, 1976

7:30 P.M. Meeting called to order by the Moderator who declared there was a Quorum present.

ARTICLE 48
(Joseph G. Cabo, et al)

To see if the Town will vote to amend its Zoning By-Laws, Section II Item II-B Subsection I entitled "Location of Districts (zones)" by changing the area presently zoned Residential Single A (RSA) to Commercial II and which is located in the Southwest Quadrant of the Zoning Map of Natick, Massachusetts, dated 1974 also located on Natick Assessors Map 41 Lot No. 92A.

Beginning at the southeasterly corner at land now or formerly of the Boston Water Works at a stone bound on the northline of said West Central Street S01° -01° -05'E -84.79 ft L equals 52.31' T equals 26.16' A equals 01° -36' -53" S82° -01' equals 34" E-123.63 ft. S82° -49' 59"E -172.87 ft. -N01° -33' -04" -135.01 ft. S88° -25' -20" W-344.28 ft. to beginning point which comprises 38,749 square feet.

or otherwise act thereon.

Voted, to refer the subject matter of Article 48 to the Planning Board.

PLANNING BOARD REPORT ON ARTICLE 48.

On January 28, 1976 the Planning Board held a public hearing on Article 48 of the Warrant for the 1976 Annual Town Meeting, as required by Chapter 40A of the General Laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts. The hearing was advertised in the Natick Bulletin and Natick Suburban Press on January 14 and January 21, 1976.

This article is a clear attempt at spot zoning, since it singles out a small lot for special treatment for conversion to Commercial II when the larger district of which it is a part is residentially zoned land.

The Planning Board recommends Indefinite Postponement.

S/Robert W. Eisenmenger

ARTICLE 49
(Board of Selectmen and Planning Board)

To see if the Town will vote to amend its Zoning By-Laws, as amended, in Section III - Use Regulation Schedule as follows:

ARTICLE 49 (Continued)

By changing the designation "P" to the designation
"A" in Industrial Use 41 in District IN II,

or otherwise act thereon.

Voted, Counted Vote - 113 in favor

31 opposed - to amend the Zoning By-Laws, in Section III - Use Regulation Schedule as follows:

By changing the designation "P" to the designation
"A" in Industrial Use 41 in District IN II.

Acceptance of this Article shall not be considered
acceptance of Chapter 808 of the Acts of 1975 by
this Town.

APPROVAL of the ATTORNEY GENERAL

Boston, Mass.

August 10, 1976

The foregoing amendment to the Zoning By-Laws adopted
under Article 49 is hereby approved.

S/Francis X. Bellotti
Attorney General

A True Copy

Attest: Edward W. Devereaux
Town Clerk

(Published according to law)

PLANNING BOARD REPORT ON ARTICLE 49

On January 28, 1976 the Planning Board held a public hearing on Article 49 of the Warrant for the 1976 Annual Town Meeting, as required by Chapter 40A of the General Laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts. The hearing was advertised in the Natick Bulletin and Natick Suburban Press on January 14 and January 21, 1976.

This article will require warehouses, lumber yards and gravel and cement yards, and other bulky storage facilities to be subject to obtaining a special permit (with possible conditions attached) rather than the present situation where it is a permitted use which is subject only to special public hearings.

The Planning Board recommends favorable action on Article 49.

S/Robert W. Eisenmenger

ARTICLE 50
(Board of Selectmen and Planning Board)

To see if the Town will vote to amend its Zoning By-Laws, as amended.
Section IV-A.2 as follows:

- a. by adding after the words "may thereafter be built upon" and before the words, "notwithstanding the adoption": the words "for a single and-or two family residential use", and
- b. after the words "district zoned for" and before the word "use" delete the words "the specified" and insert therefor the words "single and-or two family residential"

or otherwise act thereon.

Voted, Counted vote 89 in favor
54 opposed - refer the subject matter of Article 50
to the Planning Board and Board of Selectmen.

PLANNING BOARD REPORT ON ARTICLE 50

On January 28, 1976 the Planning Board held a public hearing on Article 50 of the Warrant for the 1976 Annual Town Meeting, as required by Chapter 40A of the General Laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts. The hearing was advertised in the Natick Bulletin and Natick Suburban Press on January 14 and January 21, 1976.

With respect to certain prior existing non-conforming lots this article brings the present Town Zoning By-Law into conformity with the language of the new Zoning Act (Chapter 808 of the laws of 1975) by permitting only 1 or 2-family residences on such lots. It is the intention of the Planning Board to present more extensive changes to our Town Zoning By-Law to bring it into conformity with the new Zoning Act at a subsequent Town Meeting.

The Planning Board moves favorable action on Article 50.

S/Robert W. Eisenmenger

Article 50 Reconsidered at Seventh Session, April 13, 1976. (Page 69)

ARTICLE 51
(Board of Selectmen and Planning Board)

To see if the Town will vote to amend its Zoning By-Laws, as amended, in Section IV-A.5, by deleting the entire paragraph 5 and inserting in place thereof a new paragraph 5 which shall read as follows:

5. Height of Building

The limitation on height of buildings and structures shall not apply in any district to roof tanks and their supports, ventilating, air conditioning and similar building service equipment, chimneys, railings, skylights and other similar features of buildings which are in no way designed or used for living purposes,

or otherwise act thereon.

Voted, Unanimously -

4 Abstaining - that the Town amend its Zoning By-Laws, as amended, in Section IV-A.5, by deleting the entire paragraph 5 and inserting in place thereof a new paragraph 5 which shall read as follows:

5. Height of Building

The limitation on height of buildings and structures shall not apply in any district to roof tanks and their supports, ventilating, air conditioning and similar building service equipment, chimneys, railings, skylights and other similar features of buildings which are in no way designed or used for living purposes.

Acceptance of this Article shall not be considered acceptance of Chapter 808 of the Acts of 1975 by this Town.

APPROVAL OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL

Boston, Mass.

August 10, 1976

The foregoing amendment to the Zoning By-Laws adopted under Article 51 of the Warrant is hereby approved.

S/Francis X. Bellotti
Attorney General

A True Copy

Attest: Edward W. Devereaux
Town Clerk

(Published according to law)

ARTICLE 51 (Continued)

PLANNING BOARD REPORT ON ARTICLE 51

ON January 28, 1976 the Planning Board held a public hearing on Article 51 of the Warrant for the 1976 Annual Town Meeting, as required by Chapter 40A of the General Laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts. The hearing was advertised in the Natick Bulletin and Natick Suburban Press on January 14 and January 21, 1976.

This article updates the Zoning By-law of the Town to eliminate the inclusion of certain building service or accessory equipment in building height calculations.

The Planning Board recommends favorable action on Article 51.

S/Robert W. Eisenmenger

ARTICLE 52
(Board of Selectmen and Planning Board)

To see if the Town will vote to amend its Zoning By-Laws, Section IV-B (Intensity Regulations by Zoning District) by adding opposite the District Designation CII and under Minimum Yard Dimensions in the column headed "Front" the number "40", so that that portion reads 40, 85 (a.f).

or otherwise act thereon.

Voted, Unanimously, that the Town amend its Zoning By-Laws, Section IV-B (Intensity Regulations by Zoning District) by adding opposite the District Designation CII and under Minimum Yard Dimensions in the column headed "Front" the number "40", so that that portion reads 40, 85 (a.f.). Acceptance of this Article shall not be considered acceptance of Chapter 808 of the Acts of 1975 by this Town..

APPROVAL OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL

Boston, Mass.

August 10, 1976

The foregoing amendment to the Zoning By-Laws adopted under Article 52 of the Warrant is hereby approved.

S/Francis X. Bellotti
Attorney General

A True Copy

Attest: Edward W. Devereaux
Town Clerk

(Published according to law)

ARTICLE 52 (Continued)

PLANNING BOARD REPORT on ARTICLE 52

On January 28, 1976 the Planning Board held a public hearing on Article 52 of the Warrant for the 1976 Annual Town Meeting, as required by Chapter 40A of the General Laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts. The hearing was advertised in the Natick Bulletin and Natick Suburban Press on January 14 and January 21, 1976.

This article adds a 40' front yard setback to all other Commercial II Districts in addition to Worcester St., where none now exists.

The Planning Board recommends favorable action on Article 52.

S/Robert W. Eisenmenger
Natick Planning Board

ARTICLE 53 (Board of Selectmen and Planning Board)

To see if the Town will vote to amend its Zoning By-Laws, as amended, by amending Section IV-B.c. as follows:

1. by changing the word "classification" to type;
2. by adding in the first clause after the word "in" and before the words "Building Code" the words "the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, State";
3. by adding before the last two words "Building Code" the words "The Commonwealth of Massachusetts, State";

or otherwise act thereon.

Voted, Unanimously, that the Town amend its Zoning By-Laws, as amended, by amending Section IV-B.c. as follows:

1. by changing the word "classification" to type;
2. by adding in the first clause after the word "in" and before the words "Building Code" the words "the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, State";
3. by adding before the last two words "Building Code" the words "The Commonwealth of Massachusetts, State";

Acceptance of this Article shall not be considered acceptance of Chapter 808 of the Acts of 1975 by this Town.

ARTICLE 53 (Continued)

APPROVAL OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL

Boston, Mass.

August 10, 1976

The foregoing amendment to the Zoning By-Laws
adopted under Article 53 is hereby approved.

S/Francis X. Bellotti
Attorney General

A True Copy

Attest: Edward W. Devereaux
Town Clerk

(Published according to law)

PLANNING BOARD REPORT on ARTICLE 53.

On January 28, 1976 the Planning Board held a public hearing on Article 53 of the Warrant for the 1976 Annual Town Meeting, as required by Chapter 40A of the General Laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts. The hearing was advertised in the Natick Bulletin and Natick Suburban Press on January 14 and January 21, 1976.

This Article makes it clear that the reference to "Building Code" in the Zoning By-Laws of the town is intended to mean the State Code.

The Planning Board recommends favorable action on Article 53.

S/Robert W. Eisenmenger

Voted, to remove Article 42 from the table.

ARTICLE 42
(Board of Selectmen)

To see if the Town will vote to amend Article XV, Other Boards, Commissions, and Departments, by adding at the end thereof the following:

Section 3.

- a. There shall be a Data Processing Advisory Board who shall assist the Data Processing Coordinator in planning and scheduling the use of the Data Processing Center, as provided in Article 11-(a) part C.
- b. Said Board shall be composed of nine (9) members, five (5) of whom shall be appointed by the Board of Selectmen from within the Town and shall not be full-time employees of the Town. The Town Treasurer, Town Comptroller, School Department Business

ARTICLE 42 (Continued)

Manager, and Executive Secretary to the Board of Selectmen shall be members of said Board by virtue of the positions held by them. When available, four (4) of said five (5) members appointed by the Board of Selectmen shall possess technical knowledge and experience in the field of data processing systems and services. Except for the initial appointments the members of the Board appointed by the Board of Selectmen shall serve for three (3) year terms commencing May first. The initial appointments made by the Board of Selectmen shall be such that two (2) members are appointed for one (1) year, two (2) members for two (2) years, and one (1) member for three (3) years. In the event of a vacancy occurring in the membership other than by the expiration of the term of a member, the Board of Selectmen shall within thirty (30) days after the vacancy occurs appoint a successor to serve for the balance of the unexpired term.

- c. Meetings of said Board are to be held at least four (4) times each calendar year, but the Chairman or a majority of said Board may call a meeting at any and all reasonable times. At all meetings of said Board five (5) members shall constitute a quorum.
- d. The members of said Board shall annually within thirty (30) days after the annual appointments are made by the Board of Selectmen elect from its membership a Chairman, Vice-Chairman and Clerk, who shall serve as such during the ensuing year and until a successor is duly elected and qualified.
- e. The powers and duties conferred upon the Board by this By-law shall be exercised by vote adopted by a majority of its members. Each such vote shall be recorded in minutes of meetings for such purposes and shall be attested by the signature of the Clerk. Said Board shall have and exercise such powers and duties as are more particularly set forth, both herein and in Article 11-(a), part C. In addition, the Board shall assist the Coordinator in supervision, control, regulation and management of the Data Processing Center, shall assist the Coordinator in making and enforcing, and shall approve all necessary and desirable rules and regulations for the exercise of the powers and duties conferred upon said Department.

Voted, that the Town amend Article XV, Other Boards, Commissions, and Departments, by adding at the end thereof the following:

- a. There shall be a Data Processing Advisory Board who shall assist the Data Processing Consultant in planning and scheduling of permissible automatic data processing within the various units of government of the Town of Natick.

ARTICLE 42 (Continued)

- b. Said Board shall be composed of nine (9) members, five (5) of whom shall be appointed by the Board of Selectmen from within the town and shall not be full-time employees of the town. The Town Treasurer, Town Comptroller, School Department Business Manager, and Executive Secretary to the Board of Selectmen shall be members of said Board by virtue of the positions held by them. When available, four (4) of said five (5) members appointed by the Board of Selectmen shall possess technical knowledge and experience in the field of data processing systems and services. Except for the initial appointments the members of the Board appointed by the Board of Selectmen shall serve for three (3) year terms commencing May first. The initial appointments made by the Board of Selectmen shall be such that two (2) members are appointed for one (1) year, two (2) members for two (2) years, and one (1) member for three (3) years. In the event of a vacancy occurring in the membership other than by the expiration of the term of a member, the Board of Selectmen shall within thirty (30) days after the vacancy occurs appoint a successor to serve for the balance of the unexpired term.
- c. Meetings of said Board are to be held at least four (4) times each calendar year, but the Chairman or a majority of said Board may call a meeting at any and all reasonable times. At all meetings of said Board five (5) members shall constitute a quorum.
- d. The members of said Board shall annually within thirty (30) days after the annual appointments are made by the Board of Selectmen elect from its membership a Chairman, Vice-Chairman, and Clerk, who shall serve as such during the ensuing year and until a successor is duly elected and qualified.
- e. The powers and duties conferred upon the Board by this By-Law shall be exercised by vote adopted by a majority of its members. Each such vote shall be recorded in minutes of meetings for such purposes and shall be attested by the signature of the Clerk.

APPROVAL OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL

Boston, Mass.

August 10, 1976

The foregoing amendment to the general By-Laws adopted under Article 42 of the Warrant is hereby approved.

S/Francis X. Bellotti
Attorney General

A True Copy

Attest: Edward W. Devereaux
Town Clerk

(Published according to law)

ARTICLE 54
(Board of Selectmen)

To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or otherwise provide for the 1976 Celebration of the Fourth of July, or otherwise act thereon.

Voted, that the Town appropriate the sum of \$6,500.00 for the 1976 Celebration of the Fourth of July, and that said sum of \$6,500.00 be appropriated from the Current Tax Levy, to be expended under the jurisdiction of the Fourth of July Committee appointed by the Board of Selectmen.

ARTICLE 55
(Youth & Human Resources Committee)

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to the Youth and Human Resources Committee established under Article 72 of the 1972 Annual Town Meeting.

Voted, that the Town appropriate the sum of \$18,580.00 to be expended under the jurisdiction of the Youth and Human Resources Committee for the operations of said Committee.

And that the said sum of \$18,580.00 be appropriated from the Current Tax Levy.

ARTICLE 56
(Conservation Commission)

To see if the Town will vote to adopt and designate the following way as Scenic Road under Chapter 40, Section 15C of the General Laws:

Rathbun Road (in entirety)

or otherwise act thereon.

Voted, that the subject matter of Article 56 be indefinitely postponed.

ARTICLE 57
(Board of Public Works, Board of Assessors)
(Planning Board, Board of Health, Conservation Commission)

That the Town appropriate a sum of money to complete a town-wide drainage study under the jurisdiction of the Commissioners of Public Works and to prepare a new set of Assessors Maps for the Town under the jurisdiction of the Board of Assessors, or otherwise act thereon.

Voted, to refer the subject matter of Article 57 to the Planning Board, Board of Assessors, Public Works, Board of Health and the Conservation Commission.

ARTICLE 58
(Board of Selectmen and Tree Warden)

To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for the purchase and placement of public shade trees on public ways in the Town in accordance with Chapter 87, M.G.L., or otherwise act thereon.

Voted, that the Town appropriate the sum of \$10,000.00 to be expended under the jurisdiction of the Tree Warden, for the purchase and placement of public shade trees on public ways in the Town in accordance with Chapter 87, M.G.L., and that said sum of \$10,000.00 be appropriated from the Current Tax Levy.

ARTICLE 59
(Board of Selectmen and Superintendent
of Insect and Pest Control)

To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money in accordance with Section 14, Chapter 132 M.G.L. for the purposes of insect and pest control, said sum to be expended under the jurisdiction of the Natick Superintendent of Insect and Pest Control, or otherwise act thereon.

Voted, that the subject matter of Article 59 be indefinitely postponed.

ARTICLE 60
(Board of Selectmen and Natick Tree Warden)

To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for the removal of certain dead Elm trees on private property in the Town of Natick, said sum to be expended jointly by the Natick Tree Warden and the Superintendent of Insect and Pest Control, 25 per cent of the actual cost of such removal to be borne by the property owner, or otherwise act thereon.

Voted, that the subject matter of Article 60 be indefinitely postponed.

ARTICLE 61
(Recreation Commission)

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or otherwise provide a sum of money for resealing and coating hard-surfaced areas at Bennett-Hemenway and South Natick multi-purpose areas, or otherwise act thereon.

Voted, that the Town appropriate the sum of \$4,742.00 to be expended under the jurisdiction of the Recreation Commission for resealing and coating hard-surfaced areas at Bennett-Hemenway and South Natick multi-purpose areas. And that said sum of \$4,742.00 be appropriated from the Current Tax Levy.

ARTICLE 62
(Recreation Commission)

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or otherwise provide a sum of money for the purpose of renovating the West School Playground or otherwise act thereon.

Voted, that the Town appropriate the sum of \$3,136.00 to be expended under the jurisdiction of the Recreation Commission for the purpose of renovating the West School Playground.
And that said sum of \$3,136.00 be appropriated from the Current Tax Levy.

ARTICLE 63
(Recreation Commission)

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or otherwise provide a sum of money for the purpose of renovating the Brown School Playground, or otherwise act thereon.

Voted, that the Town appropriate the sum of \$15,909.00 to be expended under the jurisdiction of the Recreation Commission for the purpose of renovating the Brown School Playground.
And that said sum of \$15,909.00 be appropriated from the Current Tax Levy.

ARTICLE 64
(Recreation Commission)

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or otherwise provide a sum of money for the purpose of installing underground electrical service on the Natick Common, or otherwise act thereon.

Voted, that the subject matter of Article 64 be indefinitely postponed.

ARTICLE 65
(Recreation Commission)

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or otherwise provide a sum of money for the purpose of improvements at Memorial Beach, or otherwise act thereon.

Voted, that the Town appropriate the sum of \$5,232.00 to be expended under the jurisdiction of the Recreation Commission for the purpose of improvements at Memorial Beach.
And that the said sum of \$5,232.00 be appropriated from the Current Tax Levy.

ARTICLE 66
(Finance Committee)

To see if the Town will vote to instruct its representatives to the General Court to file a bill as follows:

Upon application to the Natick Fire Department Medical Indemnification Panel by William J. Fannon, retired firefighter, and approval of said application by said Panel, the Town of Natick may indemnify said firefighter, out of any funds appropriated for this purpose, for all reasonable hospital, medical and surgical, nursing, pharmaceutical, prosthetic, chiropractic and related expenses and reasonable charges for podiatry incurred by said retired firefighter as a result of a physical disability received by said firefighter in the performance of his duty.
or otherwise act thereon.

No action taken on the subject matter of Article 66.

10:30 P.M. Voted, unanimously, to adjourn until next Tuesday night, April 13, 1976, in this hall.

A Record of the proceedings of the Sixth Session of Annual Town Meeting of 1976.

Edward W. Devereaux
Town Clerk

A TRUE COPY

ATTEST: Edward W. Devereaux
Town Clerk

WARRANT
for
SPECIAL TOWN MEETING No. 1
APRIL 13, 1976

THE COMMONWEALTH of MASSACHUSETTS

Middlesex, ss.

To any Constable of the Town of Natick in said County:

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are required to notify the qualified Town Meeting Members of the said Town of Natick to meet in the Senior High School Auditorium, Natick, on

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING No. 1 (Continued)

TUESDAY EVENING, APRIL 13, 1976

at 7:30 o'clock then and there to act on the following articles:

The following articles are to be acted upon and determined exclusively by Town Meeting Members in accordance with Chapter 2 of the Acts of 1938 and Amendments thereto and subject to the referendum provided thereby.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting attested copies thereof in each of the Post Offices in said Natick and at the following public places in said Natick, to wit: Entrance to Selectmen's Rooms, West Central Street, Precinct 7; Natick Police Station, Park Street, Precinct 1; Central Fire Station, Summer Street, Precinct 7; Town Clerk's Office, East Central Street, Precinct 4; Fire Station, South Natick, Precinct 2; Fire Station, West Natick, Precinct 3; Fire Station, East Natick, Precinct 5; Pole #53 at intersection of North Main and Bacon Streets, Precinct 4; Lilja School, Oak Street, Precinct 5; Pole #114 North Main Street opposite Pine Street, Precinct 6; Bulletin Board at Marshall's Department Store, North Main Street, Precinct 6; Pole #15 at intersection of Everett and Cottage Streets, Precincts 1 and 2; Johnson School, South Main Street, Precinct 7; West School, Mill Street, Precinct 8; and pole at intersection of Mill and Speen Streets, Precinct 8.

The above locations being at least one public place in each Precinct in the Town of Natick, twenty-one days at least before April 13, 1976, also by causing an attested copy of said Warrant to be published once each in the newspapers called "The Natick Bulletin" and "The Suburban Press", said publication to be March 17, 1976.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this Warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at or before the time appointed for holding said meeting.

Given under our hands this 16th day of March, A.D., 1976.

William H. White

Daniel J. O'Leary

Peter H. Garland

Alfred B. Grassey

Erica E. Ball

SELECTMEN of NATICK

A TRUE COPY

ATTEST: William B. Rogers
CONSTABLE

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING No. 1 (Continued)

OFFICER'S RETURN

COMMONWEALTH of MASSACHUSETTS
Middlesex, ss.

Natick, March 22, 1976

By virtue of this Warrant I have notified the qualified voters of the said Town of Natick to meet at the times, places, and for the purposes within specified by posting attested copies of said Warrant at the several locations and places therein designated for that purpose, Saturday, March 20, 1976; also by causing an attested copy of said Warrant to be published in the newspapers called "The Natick Bulletin" and "The Suburban Press", newspapers published in the said Town of Natick in the issues dated March 17, 1976, all as within directed.

William B. Rogers
Constable Town of Natick

A True Copy of the Warrant and the Officer's Return Thereon.

Edward W. Devereaux
Town Clerk

A TRUE COPY

ATTEST: Edward W. Devereaux
Town Clerk

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

SEVENTH SESSION

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING No. 1

FIRST SESSION

APRIL 13, 1976

7:35 P.M. Meeting called to order by the Moderator who declared there was a Quorum present.

Chair suspends momentarily Annual Town Meeting 1976.

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING No. 1 - FIRST SESSION (Continued)

Voted, to waive reading of the Warrant for Special Town Meeting No. 1 and to waive reading of itemization in the Finance Committee motions when that itemization is exactly the same as printed in the Finance Committee Report, and to waive reading of itemization in any motions where there has been a distribution thereof in writing to Town Meeting Members, and to omit reading of the Articles when calling them and to refer to them by subject matter or number.

The Warrant for Special Town Meeting No. 1 and the Finance Committee Report were mailed to all Town Meeting Members and the various Town Boards and Officials on April 1, 1976.

Voted, Unanimously, to enter the following Resolution into the official records of the Town of Natick.

Whereas, Douglas Bell is retiring from the employ of the Town on April 30, 1976 following more than ten years of service;
and

Whereas he has, in his present capacity as Town Comptroller, fulfilled the duties and obligations of that most important position in a competent, professional, and erudite manner;
and

Whereas he has, during his tenure in this position, sought to serve the best interests of the Town of Natick without resort to political interference or personal fame;

Now, therefore, be it the resolve of this Town Meeting to commend Town Comptroller Douglas Bell for the manner in which he has served the Town in this capacity, and to wish him a healthy, productive, and personally satisfying period of retirement.

ARTICLE 1
(Jackson I. Harris, et al)

To see if the Town will vote to recind the action taken at Special Town Meeting No. 4, June 3, 1975, Article 2, relating to the appropriation of \$2,898,000.00 for the purpose of defraying the development, acquisition, and operating costs of the Natick Center-Summer Street urban renewal project, or take any action thereto.

ARTICLE 1 (Continued)

Voted, Counted Vote - 102 in favor

70 opposed - to Indefinitely Postpone the subject
matter of Article 1.

9:30 P.M. Voted, to dissolve Special Town Meeting No. 1 with no action
taken on Article 2.

ARTICLE 2
(Jackson I. Harris, et al)

To see if the Town will vote to rescind the action taken at Special
Town Meeting No. 4, June 3, 1975, Article 4, relating to the appropria-
tion of \$1,088,000.00 for the purpose of constructing a parking deck
(garage) in the Natick Center-Summer Street urban renewal project area,
or take any action thereto.

A Record of the Proceedings of the First and Final Session
of Special Town Meeting No. 1.

Edward W. Devereaux
Town Clerk

A TRUE COPY

ATTEST: Edward W. Devereaux
Town Clerk

Chair takes up the subject matter of Annual Town Meeting.

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

SEVENTH SESSION

APRIL 13, 1976

Voted, to reconsider Article 50.

ARTICLE 50
(Board of Selectmen and Planning Board)

To see if the Town will vote to amend its Zoning By-Laws, as amended.
Section IV-A.2 as follows:

- a. by adding after the words "may thereafter be
built upon" and before the words, "notwith-
standing the adoption" the words "for a
single and-or two family residential use",

and

ARTICLE 50 (Continued)

- b. after the words "district zoned for" and before the word "use" delete the words "the specified" and insert therefor the words "single and-or two family residential"

Voted, Counted Vote - 81 - in favor

39 - opposed - that the Town amend its Zoning By-Laws as amended, Section IV-A.2 as follows:

- a. by adding after the words "may thereafter be built upon" and before the words, "notwithstanding the adoption" the words "for a single and-or two family residential use",

and
- b. after the words "district zoned for" and before the word "use" delete the words "the specified" and insert therefor the words "single and-or two family residential"

Acceptance of this Article shall not be considered acceptance of Chapter 808 of the Acts of 1975 by this Town, and that this sentence shall not be severable from the Article.

APPROVAL of the ATTORNEY GENERAL

Boston, Mass.

August 10, 1976

The foregoing amendment to the Zoning By-Laws adopted under Article 50 of the Warrant is hereby approved.

S/Francis X. Bellotti
Attorney General

A True Copy

Attest: Edward W. Devereaux
Town Clerk

(Published according to law)

ARTICLE 50 (Continued)

PLANNING BOARD REPORT ON ARTICLE 50

On January 28, 1976 the Planning Board held a Public Hearing on Article 50 of the Warrant for the 1976 Annual Town Meeting, as required by Chapter 40A of the General Laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts. The hearing was advertised in the Natick Bulletin and Natick Suburban Press on January 14 and January 21, 1976.

With respect to certain prior existing non-conforming lots this article brings the present Town Zoning By-Law into conformity with the language of the new Zoning Act (Chapter 808 of the laws of 1975) by permitting only 1 or 2-family residences on such lots. It is the intention of the Planning Board to present more extensive changes to our Town Zoning By-Law to bring it into conformity with the new Zoning Act at a subsequent Town Meeting.

The Planning Board moves favorable action on Article 50.

S/Robert W. Eisenmenger

ARTICLE 67 (Ball Field Lighting Committee)

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or otherwise provide a sum of money for installing lighting at the Kennedy Junior High Tennis Courts and updating the lighting systems at the Natick High School Tennis Courts and the Wilson Junior High Tennis Courts, or otherwise act thereon.

Voted, Indefinite Postponement of the subject matter of Article 67.

ARTICLE 68 (Carol Ann Ladd, et al)

To see if the Town will vote to request its Representatives to the General Court to file legislation authorizing payment to Dial Help Incorporated, Natick, of the \$2500.00 appropriated under Article 75 of the 1974 Annual Town Meeting for the payment of their services.

Voted, that the Town vote to request its Representatives to the General Court to file legislation authorizing payment to Dial Help Incorporated, Natick, of the \$2,500.00 appropriated under Article 75 of the 1974 Annual Town Meeting for payment of their services.

Voted, to remove Article 13 from the table.

ARTICLE 13
(Town Comptroller)

To see what sums of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, or otherwise provide, for Unclassified for the fiscal year 1976 - 1977, as follows:

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| 1. Memorial Day | 9. Public Liability Ins. |
| 2. Veterans' Day | 10. Contributory Group |
| 3. Care of Vetrns. Graves | Gen. Ins. |
| 4. Town Clock Maintenance | 11. Rental of Vetrns Headquarters |
| 5. Printing Town Report | 12. Reserve Fund |
| 6. Blanket Prop. Ins. | 13. Council for the Aging |
| 7. Workmen's Comp. Ins. | 14. Historical Commission |
| 8. Motor Vehicle Insurance | |

Voted, that the Town vote to appropriate the sum of \$889,078.00 for Unclassified for the fiscal year July 1, 1976 to June 30, 1977, for the specific purposes hereinafter designated, and the same be expended only for such purposes under the direction of the respective Boards, Committees, or officers of the Town, itemized as follows:

13-1: Memorial Day	\$	3,234.00
13-2: Veterans Day		1,040.00
13-3: Care of Veterans Graves		506.00
13-4: Town Clock Maintenance		250.00
13-5: Printing Town Report		7,500.00
13-6: Blanket Property Insurance		40,000.00
13-7: Workmen's Compensation Insurance		88,700.00
13-8: Motor Vehicle Insurance		37,605.00
13-9: Public Liability Insurance		15,238.00
13-10: Contributory Group General Insurance		517,100.00
13-11: Rental of Veterans Headquarters		1,200.00
13-12: Reserve Fund		150,000.00
13-13: Council for the Aging,		
Salaries & Wages		16,685.00
Council for the Aging, Expenses		9,570.00
13-14: Historical Commission		450.00

and that said sum of \$889,078.00 be appropriated from the Current Tax Levy.

Voted, to dissolve the 1976 Annual Town Meeting.

A Record of the Proceedings of the Seventh and Final Session of the 1976 Annual Town Meeting.

Edward W. Devereaux
Town Clerk

A TRUE COPY

ATTEST: Edward W. Devereaux
Town Clerk

SEVENTH SESSION (Continued)

The following Article was left on the table with no action being taken.

ARTICLE 31
(Board of Public Works)

To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for the design and cost estimates of a sanitary sewer system in the South Natick area or otherwise act thereon.

WARRANT

for

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING No. 2

MAY 11, 1976

THE COMMONWEALTH of MASSACHUSETTS

Middlesex, ss.

To any Constable of the Town of Natick in said County:

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are required to notify the qualified Town Meeting Members of the said Town of Natick to meet in the Senior High School Auditorium, Natick, on

TUESDAY EVENING, MAY 11, 1976

at 7:30 o'clock then and there to act on the following articles:

The following articles are to be acted upon and determined exclusively by Town Meeting Members in accordance with Chapter 2 of the Acts of 1938 and Amendments thereto and subject to the referendum provided thereby.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting attested copies thereof in each of the Post Offices in said Natick and at the following public places in said Natick, to wit: Entrance to Selectmen's Rooms, West Central Street, Precinct 7; Natick Police Station, Park Street, Precinct 1; Central Fire Station, Summer Street, Precinct 7; Town Clerk's Office, East Central Street, Precinct 4; Fire Station, South Natick, Precinct 2; Fire Station, West Natick, Precinct 3; Fire Station, East Natick, Precinct 5; Pole #53 at intersection of North Main and Bacon Streets, Precinct 4; Lilja School, Oak Street, Precinct 5; Pole #114 North Main Street opposite Pine Street, Precinct 6; Bulletin Board at Marshall's Department Store, North Main Street, Precinct 6; Pole #15 at intersection of Everett and Cottage Streets, Precincts 1 and 2; Johnson School, South Main Street, Precinct 7;

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING No. 2 (Continued)

West School, Mill Street, Precinct 8; and pole at intersection of Mill and Speen Streets, Precinct 8.

The above locations being at least one public place in each Precinct in the Town of Natick, twenty-one days at least before May 11, 1976, also by causing an attested copy of said Warrant to be published once each in the newspapers called "The Natick Bulletin" and "The Suburban Press", said publication to be Wednesday, April 14, 1976.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this Warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at or before the time appointed for holding said meeting.

Given under our hands this 12th day of April, 1976.

Alfred B. Grassey

Peter H. Garland

Daniel J. O'Leary

William H. White

Erica E. Ball

SELECTMEN OF NATICK

A TRUE COPY

ATTEST: William B. Rogers
Constable

OFFICER'S RETURN

COMMONWEALTH of MASSACHUSETTS
Middlesex, ss.

Natick, April 20, 1976

By virtue of this Warrant I have notified the qualified voters of the said Town of Natick to meet at the times, places, and for the purposes within specified by posting attested copies of said Warrant at the several locations and places therein designated for that purpose, Saturday, April 17, 1976; also by causing an attested copy of said Warrant to be published in the newspapers called "The Natick Bulletin" and "The Suburban Press", newspapers published in the said Town of Natick in the issues dated April 14, 1976, all as within directed.

William B. Rogers
CONSTABLE Town of Natick

OFFICER'S RETURN (Continued)

A True Copy of the Warrant and the Officer's Return Thereon.

Edward W. Devereaux
Town Clerk

A TRUE COPY

ATTEST: Edward W. Devereaux
TOWN CLERK

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING No. 2

FIRST SESSION

MAY 11, 1976

7:40 P.M. Meeting called to order by the Moderator who declared there was a Quorum present.

Voted, to waive the reading of the Warrant for Special Town Meeting No. 2 and to waive reading of itemization in the Finance Committee motions when that itemization is exactly the same as printed in the Finance Committee Report, and to waive reading of itemization of any motions where there has been a distribution thereof in writing to Town Meeting Members, and to omit reading of the Articles when calling them and to refer to them by subject matter or number.

The Warrant for Special Town Meeting No. 2 and the Finance Committee Report were mailed to all Town Meeting Members and the various Town Boards and Officials on April 30, 1976.

The Finance Committee held its Public Hearing on Tuesday, April 20, 1976, at the Town Office Building at 17 West Central Street at 7:30 P.M.

ARTICLE 1
(Commissioners of Public Works)

To see if the Town will vote to acquire by purchase, by agreement or by eminent domain proceedings, sewer easements necessary for the Durant Road - West Street sewer project through the following properties or otherwise act thereon.

No Action Prevails on the subject matter of Article 1.

Article 1 Reconsidered - See Page 85.

ARTICLE 2
(Commissioners of Public Works)

To see if the Town will vote to rescind the vote under Article 30 of the Warrant for the Annual Town Meeting of 1975, and transfer the \$450.00 appropriated under that article to acquire by eminent domain proceedings from Joseph L. and Beatrice M. Braley, or title holders of record, the following described parcel of land, a portion now being used as a public way, located at 60 and 62 Mill Street and that said land to be part of a public way known as Mill Street, and to be placed under the jurisdiction of the Public Works Commissioners.

Beginning at a point on the westerly side of Mill Street at the land, now or formerly, of J. William LaFlamme, Jr., thence southerly for a distance of one hundred thirty seven and sixty hundreds, (137.60) feet, to a point; thence westerly by land of the Town of Natick for a distance of eight and eighty nine hundreds (8.89) feet to a point; thence northerly by the land of Joseph L. and Beatrice M. Braley, for a distance of one hundred thirty eight and ninety one hundreds, (138.91) feet to a point; thence easterly by land of J. William LaFlamme, Jr., for a distance of one (1.00) foot, to the point of beginning.

or otherwise act thereon.

Voted, Unanimously, that the Town rescind the vote under Article 30 of the Warrant for the Annual Town Meeting of 1975, and transfer the \$450.00 appropriated under that article to acquire by eminent domain proceedings from Joseph L. and Beatrice M. Braley, or title holders of record, the following described parcel of land, a portion now being used as a public way, located at 60 and 62 Mill Street and that said land to be part of a public way known as Mill Street, and to be placed under the jurisdiction of the Public Works Commissioners.

Beginning at a point on the westerly side of Mill Street at the land, now or formerly of J. William LaFlamme, Jr., thence southerly for a distance of one hundred thirty seven and sixty hundreds, (137.60) feet, to a point; thence westerly by land of the Town of Natick for a distance of eight and eighty nine hundreds (8.89) feet, to a point; thence northerly by the land of Joseph L. and Beatrice M. Braley, for a distance of one hundred thirty eight and ninety one hundreds (138.91) feet to a point; thence easterly by land of J. William LaFlamme, Jr., for a distance of one (1.00) foot, to the point of beginning.

ARTICLE 3
(Board of Selectmen)

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, or otherwise provide, the sum of \$485.18 due the County of Middlesex on account of land damages in connection with relocation of a portion of Hartford Street.

Voted, to appropriate the sum of \$485.18 due the County of Middlesex on account of land damages in connection with the relocation of a portion of Hartford Street. Said sum to be expended under the direction of the Board of Selectmen.

And that said sum of \$485.18 be appropriated from the Current Tax Levy.

ARTICLE 4
(Board of Selectmen)

To see if the Town will vote to accept the provisions of Section 8A of Chapter 40 of the General Laws of Massachusetts, relative to the establishment of a development and industrial commission, and to raise and appropriate or otherwise provide a sum of money for the use of said commission.

Voted, that the subject matter of Article 4 be referred back to the Board of Selectmen.

ARTICLE 5
(Board of Selectmen)

To see if the Town will vote to accept the provisions of Section 33D of Chapter 149 of the General Laws of Massachusetts, relative to the donation by Town employees of blood components for cancer research without loss of pay.

Voted, that the subject matter of Article 5 be Indefinitely Postponed.

ARTICLE 6
(Town Comptroller)

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, or otherwise provide, such sums of money as may be required for the payment of Unpaid Bills of previous years incurred by the several Departments, Boards, and Officers of the Town.

ARTICLE 6 (Continued)

Voted, Counted Vote - 127 in Favor

1 Opposed - to appropriate the sum of \$7,115.85 from the Current Tax Levy for the payment of Unpaid Bills of prior years incurred by the several Departments, Boards and Officers of the Town, as follows:

Richard E. Toran, M.D.	Fire Department	\$	50.00
Fair & Yeager	Public Liability Ins.		7,039.00
Leonard Morse Hospital	Fire Department		10.00
Leonard Morse Hospital	Fire Department		16.85
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Total		\$	7,115.85

ARTICLE 7 (Finance Committee)

To see if the Town will vote to amend Article 1, Section 5, of the Town By-Laws, by deleting the sentence:

"The Board of Selectmen shall prepare copies of said articles and forward same to the Finance Committee no later than the second Monday of December"

and inserting in its place the following:

"The Board of Selectmen shall prepare copies of said articles and forward same to the Finance Committee and Town Moderator no later than the second Monday of December." or otherwise act thereon.

Voted, that the Town amend Article 1, Section 5, of the Town By-Laws, by deleting the sentence:

"The Board of Selectmen shall prepare copies of said articles and forward same to the Finance Committee no later than the second Monday of December"

and inserting in its place the following:

"The Board of Selectmen shall prepare copies of said articles and forward same to the Finance Committee and Town Moderator no later than the second Monday of December"

ARTICLE 7 (Continued)

APPROVAL of the ATTORNEY GENERAL

Boston, Mass.

September 2, 1976

The foregoing amendment to the general By-Laws adopted under Article 7 of the Warrant is hereby approved.

S/Francis X. Bellotti
Attorney General

A True Copy

Attest: Edward W. Devereaux
Town Clerk

(Published according to law)

ARTICLE 8
(Personnel Board)

To see if the Town will vote to amend Article VI(a), Section 11 LEGAL HOLIDAYS by omitting the word "and" after Thanksgiving Day and adding, after the words "Christmas Day" the words "and Martin Luther King Day"

or otherwise act thereon.

Voted, that the Town amend Article VI (a), Section 11 Legal Holidays by omitting the word "and" after Thanksgiving Day and adding, after the words "Christmas Day" the words "and Martin Luther King Day"

APPROVAL of the ATTORNEY GENERAL

Boston, Mass.

September 2, 1976

The foregoing amendment to the general By-Laws adopted under Article 8 of the Warrant is hereby approved.

S/Francis X. Bellotti
Attorney General

A True Copy

Attest: Edward W. Devereaux
Town Clerk

(Published according to law)

ARTICLE 9
(Youth and Human Resources Committee)

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, or otherwise provide a sum of money for the purpose of allowing the Youth and Human Resources Committee to institute and carry out a pretrial diversion project, the purpose of which shall be to assist in the prevention, treatment, and control of problems relating to juvenile delinquency among the youth of the Town of Natick, said sum to be expended under the jurisdiction of the Youth and Human Resources Committee.

Voted, to refer the subject matter of Article 9 to the Youth and Human Resources Committee.

ARTICLE 10
(Historic District Commission)

To see if the Town will vote to enlarge the John Eliot District, so as to include within the District those additional properties shown as "proposed addition to the John Eliot Historic District" on a Plan entitled "Proposed Enlargement of John Eliot Historic District", drawn by the Natick Department of Public Works (Scale 1" equals 100'), dated August 28, 1975, revised March 1, 1976, said plan being on record with the Town Clerk, by adding to Article XV, Section 2, Paragraph 2 of its By-Laws, the following additional sub-paragraph:

And said Historic District is hereby enlarged under the provisions of the Historic Districts Act, General Laws, Chapter 40C as amended, said enlarged District being described as follows:

As shown on a Plan entitled "Proposed Enlargement of John Eliot Historic District", drawn by Natick Department of Public Works (Scale 1" equals 100') dated August 28, 1975 and revised March 1, 1976, said plan being on record with the Town Clerk.

Voted, Unanimously - 1 Abstaining - to enlarge the John Eliot District, so as to include within the District those additional properties shown as "Proposed addition to the John Eliot Historic District" on a plan entitled "Proposed Enlargement of John Eliot Historic District", drawn by the Natick Department of Public Works (Scale 1" equals 100'), dated August 28, 1975, revised March 1, 1976, said plan being on record with the Town Clerk, by adding to Article XV, Section 2, Paragraph 2 of its By-Laws, the following additional sub-paragraph:

ARTICLE 10 (Continued)

And said Historic District is hereby enlarged under the provisions of the Historic Districts Act, General Laws, Chapter 40C as amended, said enlarged District being described as follows:

As shown on a Plan entitled "Proposed Enlargement of John Eliot Historic District" drawn by Natick Department of Public Works (Scale 1" equals 100') dated August 28, 1975 and revised March 1, 1976, said plan being on record with the Town Clerk.

APPROVAL OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL

Boston, Massachusetts

September 27, 1976

The foregoing amendment to the Historic District By-Law adopted under Article 10 of the Warrant is hereby approved.

S/Francis X. Bellotti
Attorney General

A True Copy

Attest: Edward W. Devereaux
Town Clerk

(Published according to law)

ARTICLE 11
(Board of Assessors)

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or otherwise provide the sum of six thousand (\$6,000.00) dollars for processing and handling the real estate and personal property tax bills.

Voted, that the subject matter of Article 11 be Indefinitely Postponed.

ARTICLE 12
(Board of Retirement)

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, or otherwise provide, such sums of money as may be required for the payment, as provided by Section 102 of Chapter 32 of the General Laws, as amended, to all eligible non-contributory retirees a cost of living increment at the rate of 9.1 per cent for the period from January 1, 1976 to June 30, 1976, inclusive.

Voted, that the subject matter of Article 12 be Indefinitely Postponed.

ARTICLE 13
(Board of Retirement)

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, or otherwise provide, such sums of money as may be required for the payment, as provided by Section 102 of Chapter 32 of the General Laws, as amended, to all eligible contributory retirees a cost of living increment at the rate of 9.1 per cent for the period from January 1, 1976 to June 30, 1976, inclusive.

Voted, that the subject matter of Article 13 be Indefinitely Postponed.

ARTICLE 14
(Board of Retirement)

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, or otherwise provide, such sums of money as may be required for payment, as provided by Section 102 of Chapter 32 of the General Laws, as amended, to all eligible non-contributory retirees a cost of living increment at the rate of 9.1 per cent for the period from July 1, 1976 to June 30, 1977, inclusive.

Voted, that the subject matter of Article 14 be Indefinitely Postponed.

ARTICLE 15
(Board of Retirement)

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, or otherwise provide, such sums of money as may be required for payment, as provided by Section 102 of Chapter 32 of the General Laws, as amended, to all eligible

ARTICLE 15 (Continued)

contributory retirees a cost of living increment at the rate of 9.1 per cent for the period from July 1, 1976 to June 30, 1977, inclusive.

Voted, that the subject matter of Article 15 be Indefinitely Postponed.

ARTICLE 16
(School Committee)

To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, or otherwise provide, for salary payments to School Department employees for the 1976-1977 fiscal year as a result of collective bargaining negotiations, and to add said amount to the 1976-77 fiscal year School Department budget.

Voted, that the subject matter of Article 16 be referred back to the School Committee.

ARTICLE 17
(School Committee)

To see what sums of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, or otherwise provide, for razing the Bacon School and converting the entire school grounds into a Town playground.

Voted, Counted Vote - 75 In Favor

53 Opposed - that the subject matter of Article 17 be referred back to the School Committee.

ARTICLE 18
(School Committee)

To see if the Town will vote to approve the transfer of \$68,000.00 within the School Department's fiscal year 1975-76 appropriation to the 9120 account from the following accounts:

6200 - Fuel	\$ 12,000.00
6210 - Light	12,000.00
6220 - Wages	2,000.00
4120 - Fuel	42,000.00
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	\$ 68,000.00

for the purpose of meeting tuition obligations for Special and Vocational Education.

ARTICLE 18 (Continued)

Voted, that the Town approve the transfer of \$68,000.00 to the School Department's fiscal year 1976 appropriation for "Program with Others" from the School Department's fiscal year 1976 appropriation accounts as follows:

Operation & Maintenance of Plant:

4120 - Fuel	\$	42,000.00
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Community Services:

6200 - Fuel	\$12,000.00	
6210 - Light	\$12,000.00	
6220 - Bldg. Repairs		
(Wages)	\$ 2,000.00	26,000.00

ARTICLE 19

(Public Works, Planning Board,
Conservation Commission, Board of Health)

To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money to complete the town-wide drainage study, and that said sum be expended under the jurisdiction of the Board of Public Works.

Voted, to appropriate \$100,000.00 to complete the town-wide drainage study commenced by vote of the 1975 Annual Town Meeting; that said sum be expended under the jurisdiction of the Board of Public Works, and that said sum be taken from the Current Tax Levy.

ARTICLE 20

(Board of Assessors)

To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money to prepare new Assessor's Maps for the Town, and said sum to be expended under the jurisdiction of the Board of Assessors.

Voted, that the subject matter of Article 20 be Indefinitely Postponed.

ARTICLE 21

(Board of Selectmen)

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, or otherwise provide, an additional sum of money for the maintenance and operation of the Police Department for the fiscal year 1976-1977.

ARTICLE 21 (Continued)

Voted, that the subject matter of Article 21 be Indefinitely Postponed.

Voted, to reconsider Article 1.

ARTICLE 1
(Commissioners of Public Works)

To see if the Town will vote to acquire by purchase, by agreement or by eminent domain proceedings, sewer easements necessary for the Durant Road - West Street sewer project through the following properties or otherwise act thereon:

LAND OF ORDWAY PARCEL "A"

EASEMENT FOR SEWERS

A certain parcel of land, to be used as a Sewer Easement, situated in the Town of Natick, Massachusetts, westerly from Oakland Street, being a portion of land of RONALD V. AND NORMA M. ORDWAY, shown on Natick, Board of Assessors, Plan number 51, Lot 147 with the southerly sideline of said easement being further bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the westerly sideline of Oakland Street said point being 66.00 feet, northerly from the property division line between said ORDWAY and land of RUSSELL W. AND RITA A. HAGBERG as measured in the westerly sideline of Oakland Street;

Thence running, through land of said ORDWAY, South 64°01'43" East, 129.75 feet, to a point on the property division line between said ORDWAY and land of DAVID L. AND THERESA R. FUCCI, said point being 40.00 feet northerly from the property division line between said ORDWAY and said HAGBERG as measured in the property division line between ORDWAY and said FUCCI.

The Sewer Easement is intended to be 20 feet wide in a generally northerly direction from the above described line and contains 2,579 square feet, more or less, and is shown as Parcel "A" on plan entitled "Town of Natick, Mass., Board of Public Works, Easement for Sewers, through land of ORDWAY and FUCCI" dated October, 1975 and prepared by Haley and Ward, Inc., Engineers, Waltham, Mass., a copy of which is filed herewith and to which reference may be had for a more detailed description.

ARTICLE 1 (Continued)

Reference is further made to Town of Natick, Mass.,
Board of Assessors, plan number 51.

LAND OF JOHNSON PARCEL "A"

EASEMENT FOR SEWERS

A certain parcel of land to be used as a Sewer Easement situated in the Town of Natick, Massachusetts, southerly from West Street, being a portion of an existing way through land of PHILIP H. JOHNSON, shown on NATICK BOARD OF ASSESSORS Plan No. 50 as Lot No. 10, with the westerly sideline of said easement being further bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the southerly sideline of West Street, at the property division line between land of said JOHNSON, and land of LEONARD S. and MARY C. MANCHESTER, said point being 195.73 feet southwesterly from a stone bound on the southerly sideline of West Street;

Thence running in the property division line between land of said JOHNSON and said MANCHESTER, South $23^{\circ}20'$ East, 153.73 feet to a point and the property division line between two parcels of land of said JOHNSON, said point is 94.25 feet, northeasterly, from an iron pin representing the intersection of property lines between the land of said MANCHESTER; land of ARTHUR L. AND DEBORAH P. LAMONT: HAROLD J. BOURET AND JOAN M. FITZGERALD: and RICHARD AND EDITH ANNE INTINARELLI.

The sewer Easement is intended to be 20 feet wide in a generally easterly direction from the above described line and contains 3080 square feet, more or less, and is shown as Parcel "A" on plan entitled "Town of Natick, Mass., Board of Public Works, October, 1975 and prepared by Haley and Ward, Inc., Engineers, Waltham, Mass., a copy of which is filed herewith and to which reference may be had for a more detailed description.

Reference is further made to Town of Natick, Mass., Board of Assessors, plan number 50 and to Massachusetts Land Court Plan Number 17493A through number 17493D.

LAND of FUCCI PARCEL "B"

EASEMENT FOR SEWERS

A certain parcel of land, to be used as a Sewer Easement, situated in the Town of Natick, Massachusetts, westerly from Oakland Street, being a portion of land of DAVID L. AND THERESA R. FUCCI, shown on

ARTICLE 1 (Continued)

Natick Board of Assessors Plan number 51, Lot 146 with the southerly sideline of said easement being further bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the property division line between land of said FUCCI and land of RONALD V. AND NORA M. ORDWAY, said point being 40.00 feet, northerly, from the property division line between land of said ORDWAY and land of RUSSELL W. AND RITA A. HAGBERG, as measured in the property division line between FUCCI and ORDWAY.

Thence running, through land of said FUCCI South $64^{\circ}01'43''$ East, 89.74 feet, to a point on the property division line between said FUCCI and land of SHIRLEY A. AND ROBERT L. HENDERSON, said point being 82.74 feet, northerly, from the southeasterly property corner of said FUCCI, as measured in the property division line between FUCCI and HENDERSON.

The Sewer Easement is intended to be 20 feet wide in a generally northerly direction from the above described line and contains 1,755 square feet, more or less, and is shown as Parcel "B" on plan entitled "Town of Natick, Mass., Board of Public Works, Easement for Sewers through land of Ordway and Fucci" dated October 1975 and prepared by Haley and Ward, Inc., Engineers, Waltham, Mass., a copy of which is filed herewith and to which reference may be had for a more detailed description.

Reference is further made to Town of Natick, Mass., Board of Assessors, plan number 51.

LAND OF JOHNSON PARCEL "B"

EASEMENT FOR SEWERS

A certain parcel of land, to be used as a Sewer Easement, situated in the Town of Natick, Massachusetts, southerly from West Street being a portion of land of PHILIP H. JOHNSON, shown on Natick Board of Assessors Plan number 50 as Lot No. 11-B, with the westerly sideline of said easement being further bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point at the intersection of the property lines dividing the two parcels of said JOHNSON; land of LEONARD S. AND MARY C. MANCHESTER; and land of RICHARD AND EDITH ANNE INTINARELLI, said point being 153.73 feet southeasterly from the southerly sideline of West Street as measured in the property division line between said JOHNSON and said MANCHESTER;

ARTICLE 1 (Continued)

Thence running in the property division line between further land of said JOHNSON and land of said INTINARELLI, South $23^{\circ}21'$ East, 20.00 feet, to a point, said point being 138.70 feet from the southerly extremity of the JOHNSON property as measured in the property line between JOHNSON and INTINARELLI.

The Sewer Easement is intended to be 20 feet wide in a generally easterly direction from the above described line and contains 400 square feet, more or less, and is shown as Parcel "B" on plan entitled "Town of Natick, Mass. Board of Public Works, Easement for Sewers through land of Johnson" dated October, 1975 and prepared by Haley and Ward, Inc., Engineers, Waltham, Mass., a copy of which is filed herewith and to which reference may be had for a more detailed description.

Reference is further made to Town of Natick, Mass., Board of Assessors, plan number 50 and to Massachusetts Land Court Plan Number 17493A through number 17493D.

Voted, Counted Vote - 95 In Favor

17 Opposed - to acquire by purchase, by agreement or by eminent domain proceedings, sewer easements necessary for the Durant Road - West Street sewer project through the following properties:

LAND OF ORDWAY
PARCEL "A"

EASEMENT FOR SEWERS

A certain parcel of land, to be used as a Sewer Easement, situated in the Town of Natick, Massachusetts, westerly from Oakland Street, being a portion of land of RONALD V. AND NORA M. ORDWAY, shown on Natick Board of Assessors, Plan number 51, Lot 147 with the southerly sideline of said easement being further bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the westerly sideline of Oakland Street and point being 66.00 feet, northerly from the property division line between said ORDWAY and land of RUSSELL W. and RITA A. HAGBERG as measured in the westerly sideline of Oakland Street:

Thence running, through land of said ORDWAY, South $64^{\circ}01'43''$ East, 129.75 feet, to a point on the property division line between said ORDWAY and land of DAVID L. and THERESA R. FUCCI, said point being 40.00 feet northerly from the property division line between said ORDWAY and said HAGBERG as measured in the property division line between ORDWAY and said FUCCI.

The Sewer Easement is intended to be 20 feet wide in a generally northerly direction from the above described line and contains 2,579 square feet, more or less, and is shown

ARTICLE 1 (Continued)

as Parcel "A" on plan entitled "Town of Natick, Mass., Board of Public Works, Easement for Sewers, through land of ORDWAY and FUCCI dated October, 1975 and prepared by Haley and Ward, Inc., Engineers, Waltham, Mass., a copy of which is filed herewith and to which reference may be had for a more detailed description.

Reference is further made to Town of Natick, Mass., Board of Assessors, plan number 51.

LAND of JOHNSON
PARCEL "A"

EASEMENT FOR SEWERS

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Beginning at a point on the southerly sideline of West Street, at the property division line, between land of said JOHNSON, and land of LEONARD S. and MARY C. MANCHESTER, said point being 195.73 feet southwesterly from a stone bound on the southerly sideline of West Street:

Thence running in the property division line between land of JOHNSON and said MANCHESTER, South $23^{\circ}20'$ East, 153.73 feet to a point and the property division line between two parcels of land of said JOHNSON, said point is 94.25 feet, northeasterly, from an iron pin representing the intersection of property lines between the land of said MANCHESTER; land of ARTHUR L. and DEBORAH P. LAMONT: HAROLD J. BOURET and JOAN M. FITZGERALD: and RICHARD and EDITH ANNE INTINARELLI.

The Sewer Easement is intended to be 20 feet wide, in a generally easterly direction from the above described line and 3,080 square feet, more or less, and is shown as Parcel "A" on plan entitled "Town of Natick, Mass., Board of Public Works, Easement for Sewers through land of Johnson" dated October, 1975 and prepared by Haley and Ward, Inc., Engineers, Waltham, Mass., a copy of which is filed herewith and to which reference may be had for a more detailed description.

Reference is further made to Town of Natick, Mass., Board of Assessors, plan number 50 and to Massachusetts Land Court, Plan Number 17493A through number 17493D.

ARTICLE 1 (Continued)

LAND of FUCCI
PARCEL "B"

EASEMENT FOR SEWERS

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Beginning at a point on the property division line between land of said FUCCI and land of RONALD V. and NORA M. ORDWAY, said point being 40.00 feet, northerly, from the property division line between land of said ORDWAY and land of RUSSELL W. and RITA A. HAGBERG, as measured in the property division line between FUCCI and ORDWAY:

Thence running, through land of said FUCCI South $64^{\circ}01'43''$ East, 89.74 feet, to a point on the property division line between said FUCCI and land of SHIRLEY A. and ROBERT L. HENDERSON, said point being 82.74 feet, northerly, from the southeasterly property corner of said FUCCI, as measured in the property division line between FUCCI and HENDERSON.

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LAND OF JOHNSON
PARCEL "B"

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ARTICLE 1 (Continued)

LAND of JOHNSON
PARCEL "B"

EASEMENT for SEWERS

Beginning at a point at the intersection of the property lines dividing the two parcels of said JOHNSON: land of LEONARD and MARY C. MANCHESTER: and land of RICHARD and EDITH ANNE INTINARELLI, said point being 153.73 feet southeasterly from the southerly sideline of West Street as measured in the property division line between said JOHNSON and said MANCHESTER:

Thence running in the property division line between further land of said JOHNSON and land of said INTINARELLI, South 23°21' feet, to a point being 138.70 feet from the southerly extremity of the JOHNSON property as measured in the property line between JOHNSON and INTINARELLI.

The Sewer Easement is intended to be 20 feet wide in a generally easterly direction from the above described line and contains 400 square feet, more or less, and is shown as Parcel "B" on plan entitled "Town of Natick, Mass., Board of Public Works, Easement for Sewers through land of Johnson" dated October, 1975 and prepared by Haley and Ward, Inc., Engineers, Waltham, Mass., a copy of which is filed herewith and to which reference may be had for a more detailed description.

Reference is further made to Town of Natick, Mass., Board of Assessors, plan number 50 and to Massachusetts Land Court Plan Number 17493A through number 17493D.

And that the sum of \$1,135 be transferred, with the permission of the Commissioners of Public Works, from available balance of the appropriation "Construct Sewer - West Street - Durant Road" Article 33, ATM 1975 for this purpose;
said sum to be expended under the direction of the Commissioners of Public Works.

10:45 P.M. Voted, to dissolve the Special Town Meeting No. 2 of 1976.

A Record of the Proceedings of the First and Final Session of Special Town Meeting No. 2.

Edward W. Devereaux
Town Clerk

A TRUE COPY

ATTEST: Edward W. Devereaux
Town Clerk

WARRANT

for

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING No. 3

JUNE 22, 1976

THE COMMONWEALTH of MASSACHUSETTS

Middlesex, ss.

To Any Constable of the Town of Natick in said County:

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are required to notify the qualified Town Meeting Members of the said Town of Natick to meet in the Senior High School Auditorium, Natick, on

TUESDAY EVENING, JUNE 22, 1976

at 7:30 o'clock then and there to act on the following articles:

The following articles are to be acted upon and determined exclusively by Town Meeting Members in accordance with Chapter 2 of the Acts of 1938 and Amendments thereto and subject to the referendum provided thereby.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting attested copies thereof in each of the Post Offices in said Natick and at the following public places in said Natick, to wit: Entrance to Selectmen's Rooms, West Central Street, Precinct 7; Natick Police Station, Park Street, Precinct 1, Central Fire Station, Summer Street, Precinct 7; Town Clerk's Office, East Central Street, Precinct 4; Fire Station, South Natick, Precinct 2; Fire Station, West Natick, Precinct 3; Fire Station, East Natick, Precinct 5; Pole #53 at intersection of North Main and Bacon Streets, Precinct 4; Lilja School, Oak Street, Precinct 5; Pole #114 North Main Street opposite Pine Street, Precinct 6; Bulletin Board at Marshall's Department Store, North Main Street, Precinct 6; Pole #15 at intersection of Everett and Cottage Streets, Precincts 1 and 2; Johnson School, South Main Street, Precinct 7; West School, Mill Street, Precinct 8; and pole at intersection of Mill and Speen Streets, Precinct 8.

The above locations being at least one public place in each Precinct in the Town of Natick, twenty-one days at least before June 22, 1976, also by causing an attested copy of said Warrant to be published once each in the newspapers called "The Natick Bulletin" and "The Suburban Press", said publication to be May 19, 1976.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this Warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at or before the time appointed for holding said meeting.

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING No. 3 (Continued)

Given under our hands this 17th day of May, A.D., 1976

Alfred B. Grassey

Peter H. Garland

Daniel J. O'Leary

William H. White

Erica E. Ball

SELECTMEN of NATICK

A TRUE COPY

ATTEST: William B. Rogers
CONSTABLE

OFFICER'S RETURN

COMMONWEALTH of MASSACHUSETTS

Middlesex, ss.

Natick, June 8, 1976

By virtue of this Warrant I have notified the qualified voters of the said Town of Natick to meet at the times, places and for the purposes within specified by posting attested copies of said Warrant at the several locations and places therein designated for that purpose, Monday, June 7, 1976; also by causing an attested copy of said Warrant to be published in the newspapers called "The Natick Bulletin" and "The Suburban Press", newspapers published in the said Town of Natick in the issues dated May 19, 1976.

Herman F. Brown Constable

A True Copy of the Warrant and the Officer's Return Thereon

Edward W. Devereaux
Town Clerk

A TRUE COPY

ATTEST: Edward W. Devereaux
Town Clerk

WARRANT

for

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING No. 4

JUNE 22, 1976

THE COMMONWEALTH of MASSACHUSETTS

Middlesex, ss.

To Any Constable of the Town of Natick in said County:

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are required to notify the qualified Town Meeting Members of the said Town of Natick to meet in the Senior High School Auditorium, Natick, on

TUESDAY EVENING, JUNE 22, 1976

at 7:30 o'clock then and there to act on the following articles:

The following articles are to be acted upon and determined exclusively by Town Meeting Members in accordance with Chapter 2 of the Acts of 1938 and Amendments thereto and subject to the referendum provided thereby.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting attested copies thereof in each of the Post Offices in said Natick and at the following public places in said Natick, to wit: Entrance to Selectmen's Rooms, West Central Street, Precinct 7; Natick Police Station, Park Street, Precinct 1; Central Fire Station, Summer Street, Precinct 7; Town Clerk's Office, East Central Street, Precinct 4; Fire Station, South Natick, Precinct 2; Fire Station, West Natick, Precinct 3; Fire Station, East Natick, Precinct 5; Pole #53 at intersection of North Main and Bacon Streets, Precinct 4; Lilja School, Oak Street, Precinct 5; Pole #114 North Main Street opposite Pine Street, Precinct 6; Bulletin Board at Marshall's Department Store, North Main Street, Precinct 6; Pole #15 at intersection of Everett and Cottage Streets, Precincts 1 and 2; Johnson School, South Main Street, Precinct 7; West School, Mill Street, Precinct 8; and pole at intersection of Mill and Speen Streets, Precinct 8.

The above locations being at least one public place in each Precinct in the Town of Natick, twenty-one days at least before June 22, 1976, also by causing an attested copy of said Warrant to be published once each in the newspapers called "The Natick Bulletin" and "The Suburban Press", said publication to be May 26, 1976.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this Warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at or before the time appointed for holding said meeting.

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING No. 4 (Continued)

Given under our hands this 24th day of May, A.D. 1976.

Alfred B. Grassey

Daniel J. O'Leary

Peter H. Garland

Erica E. Ball

William H. White

SELECTMEN of NATICK

A TRUE COPY

ATTEST: William B. Rogers
CONSTABLE

OFFICER'S RETURN

COMMONWEALTH of MASSACHUSETTS

Middlesex, ss.

Natick, June 8, 1976

By virtue of this Warrant I have notified the qualified voters of the said Town of Natick to meet at the times, places, and for the purposes within specified by posting attested copies of said Warrant at the several locations and places therein designated for that purpose, Monday, June 7, 1976; also by causing an attested copy of said Warrant to be published in the newspapers called "The Natick Bulletin" and "The Suburban Press", newspapers published in the said Town of Natick in the issues dated May 26, 1976.

Herman F. Brown CONSTABLE

A True Copy of the Warrant and the Officer's Return Thereon

Edward W. Devereaux
Town Clerk

A TRUE COPY

ATTEST: Edward W. Devereaux
Town Clerk

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING No. 3
and
SPECIAL TOWN MEETING No. 4

FIRST SESSION

JUNE 22, 1976

7:40 P.M. Meeting called to order by Edward W. Devereaux, Acting Moderator, who declared there was a Quorum present.

The following eulogy was presented by Mr. Devereaux.

Ladies and Gentlemen:-

Since we last met, and how often have we heard those words "since we last met".

To those words I say, Since the citizens of this great town of Natick who elected us have ordered us to meet under their God-given rights of free speech - the Country, the Commonwealth, the Town - and more important - the families of three great Americans who believed in that thought have suffered great losses.

Three great Americans who believed in and participated in the due process of Democracy -

Joel Rome - Moderator

Brig. General John Kelley - Commissioner of Public Works -

Alfred "Stump" Grassey - Chairman of the Board of Selectmen.

Three great men of different origin - of different ethnic backgrounds - of different religious beliefs. One of military background, one of pacifist and law background, and one a humorist - loved by all and who in return loved them.

Nevertheless, all with one goal in mind - to do what is right for their fellowman. Three of whom set out in their lifetime to accomplish just that by seeking out endorsement as elected public officials from their fellowman - the citizens of the Town of Natick.

They carried their badges of honor high. One badge as the chief legislative officer, the other two as badges as chief administrative officers. Not one of whom has ever said or done an act that would hurt or hinder their fellowman. On the contrary, just the opposite, these men have done nothing but deeds to help their fellowman in all walks of life, regardless of their race, color or creed; always conscious of their duties as elected public officials. Not one of whom ever said "No"; all of whom always said, "I will see what I can do" - no guarantees - no promises - just "I'll see what I can do"; and then seeing if it could be done for the good of all.

At the services for Joel Rome the Rabbi mentioned that "Man was like a book, some we read and understand and others we read and never understand". The three public servants I am speaking to you about were from a book we all understand - the book of Democracy.

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING No. 3 and No. 4 - FIRST SESSION - (Continued)

Brig. General John Kelley - a man who devoted most of his life to military service of his Country.

Father Frost, at the services for "Stump" Grassey said, "Unless the grain of wheat falls to the earth and dies, it remains just a grain of wheat, but if it dies, it produces much fruit."

Joel Rome, Brig. General John Kelley and "Stump" Grassey are like the grains of wheat - they have died and left us a challenge - they have passed on to us the torch of Democracy in which they believed so strongly.

If you will all rise for a moment of silence and ask in your own way that these three great Americans have been rewarded for their efforts.

Thank you - Ladies and Gentlemen.

Newly appointed Town Meeting Members Sworn in by the Moderator.

Chair suspends temporarily Special Town Meeting No. 4 and returns to take up the business of Special Town Meeting No. 3.

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING No. 3

FIRST SESSION

JUNE 22, 1976

Voted, to waive reading of the Warrant and to waive reading of itemization in the Finance Committee motions when that itemization is exactly the same as printed in the Finance Committee Report, and to waive reading of itemization in any motions where there has been a distribution thereof in writing to Town Meeting Members, and to omit reading of the Articles when calling them and to refer to them by subject matter or number.

The Warrant for Special Town Meeting No. 3 and the Finance Committee Report were mailed to all Town Meeting Members and the various Town Boards and Officials on Thursday, June 10, 1976.

The Finance Committee held its hearing on the Articles of Special Town Meeting No. 3 on Tuesday, May 25, 1976 at 7:30 P.M. at the Town Office Building.

The Planning Board held its hearing on the Articles of Special Town Meeting No. 3 at the Town Office Building on Thursday, June 3, 1976.

ARTICLE 1
(Planning Board)

To see if the Town will vote to amend its Zoning By-laws, as amended in Section V-D, by deleting said section and inserting in place thereof, a new Section V-D, to read as follows:

V-D OFF STREET PARKING AND LOADING REQUIREMENTS

1. Purpose

It is the intent of this section that any use of land involving the arrival, departure, parking or storage of motor vehicles be so designed and operated as to assure safe access and departure as well as adequate off-street parking to serve the uses of such land. In addition, this section is intended to insure that safe movement of pedestrians is provided for, both within the parcel and to adjacent parcels, and that necessary provisions are made for the safe use of such other means of transportation as may be reasonably expected to use a site. This section also has the additional purpose of providing minimum landscaping requirements for off-street parking facilities in order to preserve and increase the Town's health and safety.

2. Applicability

a) No Building or structure constructed after March 26, 1975, shall be used or shall be changed to a greater category of parking demand as outlined in Section V-D.3., except in compliance with these Off-Street Parking and Loading Requirements.

b) Any building, structure or land use with its parking lot or facilities, if any, which was existing or lawfully begun or for which a permit was issued prior to March 26, 1975 may continue its permitted operation or may be changed to a use within the same or lesser category of parking demand without having to conform to these Off-Street Parking and Loading Requirements. However, any building or structure or land use which changes its operation to a category of greater parking demand as outlined in section V-D.3. must comply with these Off-Street Parking and Loading Requirements.

c) Where an existing building or structure has been damaged or destroyed by fire or other disaster, and reconstructed to the same size or lesser size as previously existed, the parking facilities which serve that building or structure may remain the same size and dimensions as previously existed, and continue, even though they do not conform to the requirements of this section, provided the building is not changed to a category of greater parking demand as outlined in V-D.3.

d) No existing off-street parking spaces shall be eliminated if their removal would cause the total number of spaces provided on a site to be less than the number required by this Section.

ARTICLE 1 (Continued)

V-D OFF STREET PARKING AND LOADING REQUIREMENTS

3. Parking Facilities Required by Category of Parking Demand

a) For 1 & 2 family-dwelling-units - 2 spaces for each dwelling unit; driveways may be included as required space for single and two-family dwellings.

b) For multiple-family-dwellings - 1 space for each 0- or 1-bedroom unit and 2 spaces for each unit of 2 bedrooms or more. All required spaces are to be provided within a distance not to exceed three hundred (300) feet from the building in which the specific family unit served is located. In a PCD District, parking lots shall not exceed 125 spaces in any one lot, and lots shall be at all points at least twenty-five (25) feet apart.

Note: Any housing which is specifically designed and constructed to meet the needs of the elderly may reduce the parking requirements for all such units by one-half.

c) Permitted Home Occupations - Spaces shall be provided as required for the occupational uses specified herein in addition to the spaces required for the dwelling.

d) For offices - 1 space per three hundred (300) square feet of gross floor area.

e) For financial institutions, retail stores, personal services, shops, and similar commercial uses - 1 space for each one hundred fifty (150) square feet of gross floor area.

f) For furniture, machinery, equipment, automobile and boat sales and-or service establishments - 1 space for each three hundred (300) square feet of gross floor area.

g) For restaurants, night clubs, bars and lounges - 1 space for each thirty (30) square feet of public area or 1 space for every 3 seats, whichever is greater.

h) For drive-in restaurants - 1 space for each fifty (50) square feet of gross floor area with a minimum of twenty (20) spaces.

i) For areas with fixed seating, such as churches, theatres, assembly halls or stadiums - 1 space for every three (3) seats.

j) For places of public assembly or public recreation not otherwise listed - 1 space for each five (5) occupants as permitted under the state building code.

k) For libraries, museums and non-commercial art galleries - 1 space for each seven hundred fifty (750) square feet of gross floor area.

l) For hotels, motels, lodging or boarding houses - 1 space for each unit available for occupancy. Where a restaurant is included in a hotel or motel only one-half of the spaces normally required for such a restaurant need be provided in excess of the spaces otherwise required for the hotel or motel.

m) Hospitals - 1 space for each bed, plus 1 space for each two (2) employees on largest shift.

n) Nursing homes - 1 space for each three (3) patient accommodations, plus 1 space for each two (2) employees on largest shift.

ARTICLE 1 (Continued)

V-D OFF STREET PARKING AND LOADING REQUIREMENTS

3. Parking Facilities Required by Category of Parking Demand (Continued)

o) For funeral homes - 1 space for each fifty (50) square feet of public floor area, excluding residences which shall meet the requirements of 3.a or 3.b.

p) For industrial plants, wholesale establishments, warehouses and similar buildings - 1 space for each twelve hundred fifty (1250) square feet of gross floor area, or 1 space for each three (3) persons normally employed on largest shift, whichever is greater.

4. Interpretation of Off-Street Parking

a) The parking required herein is in addition to space for storage of trucks or other vehicles used in connection with a business, commercial or industrial use.

b) Where fractional spaces result, the parking spaces required shall be construed to be the next highest whole number.

c) The parking space requirements for a use not specifically listed in this section shall be as specified by the Building Inspector based on a listed use of similar characteristics of parking demand generation.

d) In the case of mixed uses, uses with different parking requirements occupying the same building or premises, the parking spaces required shall equal the sum of the requirements of the various uses computed separately.

e) As used in Section V.D.3., gross floor area shall mean the total floor area of all floors, including basements, within the perimeter of the outside walls of the building under consideration, with no deduction for hallways, stairs, closets, thickness of walls, columns or other features. However, where a basement is used only for storage and not accessible to the public only one-fourth of such area need be included in the calculation of gross floor area.

f) In a commercial district where outside sales or storage space is provided, the square foot area shall be added to the gross floor area for the purpose of calculating the required number of parking spaces.

5. Exceptions in C-1 District

In a C-1 District the number of parking spaces required may be reduced up to one-half of the requirement of section V-D.3., when the Building Inspector determines that sufficient public parking spaces exist within close proximity of such activity to supplement its parking needs. As used herein, a public parking space shall be defined as any space which is open to the general public and whose use is not restricted by any posted notice regardless of whether it is public or privately owned.

In addition, the Building Inspector may waive all or part of these Off-Street Parking and Loading Requirements in a C-1 District if he determines that a reasonable effort has been made to meet the requirements and no additional spaces can be provided on a site.

ARTICLE 1 (Continued)

V-D OFF STREET PARKING AND LOADING REQUIREMENTS (Continued)

6. Location of Required Parking Spaces

Required parking spaces shall normally be located on the same lot as the building or use which they serve. However, the Board of Appeals may grant a special permit to allow use of parking facilities not on the same lot but within 300 feet of the principal structure or use to be served provided that the Board of Appeals determines that proper provision is made to insure pedestrian and traffic safety and that the intent and purpose of this section of the by-law are attained.

Except as hereinafter provided, no land in a Residential District shall be used for off-street parking accessory to or to service a structure or use in a Commercial and-or Industrial District.

7. Minimum Area

For the purpose of this regulation an off-street parking space is an all-weather surfaced area having a width of not less than nine (9) feet and a length of not less than eighteen (18) feet for angle parking or twenty-two (22) feet for parallel parking. The length required shall be measured on an axis parallel with the vehicle after it is parked. The required areas, other than those serving one-and two-family dwellings are to be exclusive of driveways and shall be permanently reserved for the temporary parking of one automobile, and shall be connected with a street or public right-of-way by an all-weather surfaced driveway. In the case of single-family and two-family dwellings, all-weather surfaces shall not be required.

8. Pedestrian Safety

Crosswalks shall be provided in selected locations and clearly marked on the pavement to aid pedestrians when it is necessary for them to cross traffic flow to reach the use being served. As a minimum, off-street parking shall be separated from the building served by a paved walk at least four (4) feet wide with an eight (8) inch high safety curb or other safety devices as the Building Inspector may specify.

Such paved walk is required in all cases in front of buildings and shall be required along exterior side and rear walks if an entrance or exit normally used by the general public (excepting therefrom but not limited to fire doors and loading areas) is located along these walls, or if the wall is greater than fifty (50) feet in length.

9. Interior Drives

Interior drives shall be of adequate width to serve a particular design arrangement of parking spaces, the following being the minimum width permitted.

ARTICLE 1 (Continued)

V-D OFF STREET PARKING AND LOADING REQUIREMENTS

9. Interior Drives (Continued)

<u>Type of Parking</u>	<u>Driveway Width</u>
90° to 61° parking	Twenty-four (24) feet
60° to 46° parking	Eighteen (18) feet
45° to 30° parking	Fifteen (15) feet
Parallel Parking	Fifteen (15) feet

Ninety degree (90°) or parallel parking shall be used in all off-street parking lots unless there is positive control of traffic directions. Parking at angles at less than thirty degrees (30°) is prohibited except for parallel parking. The minimum width of any interior driveway serving an off-street parking area shall be fifteen (15) feet.

10. Entrance and Exit Driveways

a) Residence driveways shall not be less than nine (9) feet wide at the right-of-way line nor less than thirteen (13) feet at the curb line of lots for one or two-family dwellings.

b) Driveways in Residential Multiple, Commercial I, Commercial II, Industrial I, Industrial II and PCD Districts, or serving uses allowed in these districts, shall not be more than forty-five (45) feet wide at the right-of-way line and fifty-five (55) feet wide at the curb line unless otherwise specified by the Natick Department of Public Works or the Massachusetts Department of Public Works. Each parcel within these districts, or occupied by such use, will be entitled to two (2) driveways where the property has two hundred (200) feet of frontage or less. Additional driveways may be allowed by special permit by the Board of Appeals for lots with greater than two hundred (200) feet of frontage.

c) In all districts the entrance and exit driveways will be located so as to provide for safe access and egress to the parcel being served. In addition, evidence that the necessary driveway permits will be issued by either the Natick Department of Public Works for Town-controlled roads or State Department of Public Works for State-controlled roads must be presented before a building permit may be issued.

11. Marking

All required parking spaces, except for single-family or two-family residences, shall be marked by painted lines, maintained in good condition, curbs or other means to indicate individual spaces. Signs or markers painted or provided and maintained in good condition shall be used as necessary to insure efficient traffic flow within the lot.

12. Surfacing and Drainage

In all parking areas other than those serving one and two-family dwellings, the following requirements for surfacing and drainage shall apply.

ARTICLE 1 (Continued)

V-D OFF STREET PARKING AND LOADING REQUIREMENTS

12. Surfacing and Drainage (Continued)

Adequate storm water drainage shall be provided for all off-street parking areas. Required parking and truck loading facilities shall have an all-weather surfacing of bituminous concrete or concrete paving maintained in good condition and capable of allowing free and safe movement of all vehicles using the facility. The perimeter of all parking areas shall have a machine-formed curbing at least five inches high or pre-cast concrete bumpers, safety curbs or other protective devices.

The following minimum specifications shall apply to all bituminous concrete paving. It shall be placed in two layers, a binder course to be one and one-half (1 1/2) inches thick after compaction and a top course one (1) inch thick after compaction, to form a total thickness of pavement equal to two and one-half (2 1/2) inches after compaction.

13. Lighting

Adequate lighting shall be provided in lots of more than ten (10) spaces if off-street parking spaces are to be used at night. However, minimum security lighting must be provided in all lots serving other than one- and two-family residential. The lighting shall be arranged and installed to minimize glare on adjacent property. If property is not to be used at night, a note to that effect shall be indicated on the plan.

14. Truck Loading Space

In the case of hospitals, institutions, hotels and retail wholesale and industrial buildings space shall be provided for loading and unloading of trucks at the rate of one (1) space not less than four hundred (400) square feet in area for each fifteen thousand (15,000) square feet of floor area or fraction thereof up to a total of thirty thousand (30,000) square feet, and four hundred (400) square feet for each additional thirty thousand (30,000) square feet. Such truck area shall be adjacent to the loading area or doors.

The provision for truck loading space may be waived by the Building Inspector where he determines that such space is not necessary for the operation of a particular use.

15. Buffer Areas

Any off-street parking or storage area serving other than one (1) and two (2) family dwellings which abuts residentially zoned land shall be separated from such adjoining land by a ten (10) foot buffer area which shall be suitably landscaped and maintained with natural and living materials so as to form an effective year-round visual screen at least six (6) feet in height to insulate the residentially zoned land from the off-street parking area. Trees planted in this buffer area shall be at least six (6) feet in height and not less than two (2) inches in diameter immediately after planting. The Board of Appeals may by special permit allow the use of a fence, wall or other non-living structure to achieve the purpose of this buffer provided that it is determined to be a more effective and suitable buffer than could be provided with living materials.

ARTICLE 1 (Continued)

V-D OFF STREET PARKING AND LOADING REQUIREMENTS

15. Buffer Areas (Continued)

As a minimum all off-street parking and loading areas except those serving one and two family dwellings shall be separated from adjacent properties by a four (4') foot buffer strip planted with grass or similar natural ground cover. However, where adjacent parcels agree to share a common parking area with a common entrance and exit the minimum four (4) foot buffer may be eliminated on all common property lines.

16. Landscaping Adjacent to Right-of-Way

A continuous landscaped strip shall be provided adjacent to the right-of-way line of any street (existing, proposed, paper, public, private) or highway. This landscaped strip shall not be less than ten (10) feet wide in any district and in Commercial 11 and Industrial 11 districts it shall have at least ten (10) feet of width for every one hundred (100) feet or fraction thereof of frontage up to a maximum required width of fifty (50) feet for other than one and two family uses. This strip is to be planted with at least one (1) tree of not less than two (2) inch caliper and at least six (6) feet in overall height immediately after planting for each fifty (50) lineal feet of frontage or fraction thereof.

However, said trees need not be located at fifty (50) foot intervals and may be grouped or arranged anywhere within this buffer area. Bituminous concrete or concrete paving is prohibited in this buffer area except for driveways and sidewalks.

The buffer adjacent to the right-of-way required by this section must be located within the affect parcel and state or local property within the right-of-way may not be used to meet the requirements of this section. However, wherever possible the extension of grass or ground cover into said right-of-way is encouraged.

17. Interior Landscaping

Off-street parking areas which cover 20 per cent or more of the total site area shall have at least ten (10) square feet of interior landscaping for each parking space. As used herein, interior landscaping shall be defined as landscaped islands or areas, exclusive of any other landscaping or buffer areas required elsewhere in these Off-Street Parking and Loading Requirements, which are contained within or project into the paved area of an off-street parking or loading area. Each separate landscaped area shall contain a minimum of one hundred (100) square feet, shall have a minimum dimension of at least five (5) feet, shall be planted with grass or small shrubs, and shall include at least one deciduous tree of not less than two (2) inches in diameter and at least six (6) feet in overall height immediately after planting.

Each such island shall have a five (5) inch curb and may be used to locate hydrants within a parking area.

ARTICLE I (Continued)

V-D OFF STREET PARKING AND LOADING REQUIREMENTS

17. Interior Landscaping (Continued)

Whenever possible, such interior landscaping shall be located so as to promote safe and efficient channelization of both pedestrian and vehicular traffic.

18. Existing Landscaping Material

Every attempt shall be made to save as many existing trees as possible on a subject site. Major trees and outlines of wooded areas shall be shown on the required site plan.

19. Administration & Procedure

a) Permits - Where the requirements of these off-street regulations are applicable, an application for a building or use permit for other than one and two family dwellings must be accompanied by three copies of an Off-Street Parking and Storage Plan. The Building Inspector shall determine whether such plan is in compliance with the provisions of these Off-Street Parking and Loading Requirements. If the Building Inspector determines that the plan is not in compliance with these Off-Street Parking and Loading Requirements he shall deny the application in writing setting forth his grounds for denial.

b) Off-Street Parking and Storage Plan - The Off-Street Parking and Storage Plan required by this By-Law shall be drawn to a scale of 1" - 40' or such other scale as the Building Inspector may direct, and as a minimum shall show the following:

- 1) the quantity, location and dimensions of all driveways, entrances, exits, parking spaces, truck loading and storage areas, sidewalks, and buffer areas;
- 2) the location, size and type of materials for surface paving, curbing or wheel stops, trees, landscaping, screening, lighting and drainage facilities;
- 3) the location of all buildings and lot lines; and
- 4) such other information as the Building Inspector or Board of Appeals may reasonably require.

Upon issuance of a permit in accordance with these Off-Street Parking and Loading Requirements, the Building Inspector shall transmit a copy of the approved plan to the Planning Board and the Department of Public Works.

c) General Provisions - Where necessary for the administration of this Section, the Building Inspector may require the owner, operator or occupant of a lot or any building thereon to furnish a statement as to the number of employees customarily working at any one time on the premises. The Building Inspector may at any reasonable time enter upon a lot, or into any building thereon, in order to make such determinations as are necessary for the administration of this Section.

ARTICLE 1 (Continued)

V-D OFF STREET PARKING AND LOADING REQUIREMENTS (Continued)

19. Administration & Procedure (Continued)

d) Exceptions - The Board of Appeals may make exceptions to the provisions of this Section either upon appeal or upon written request of the owner, the owner's authorized representative, or with the written consent of the owner of a parcel of land in any case where, after a public hearing thereon, it shall find that literal enforcement would cause a substantial hardship or that literal compliance is impractical because of the size, width, depth, shape or grade of the lot, or the use to which it is to be put, or because a lesser area would, except in unusual circumstances, accommodate the motor vehicles of all persons at any time using the building, or less stringent requirements would carry out the other purposes of this Section or because of factors peculiar to the lot or building involved not generally affecting the zoning district in which it is located.

Acceptance of this article shall not be considered acceptance of Chapter 808 of the Acts of 1975 by this Town, and this sentence shall not be severable from the Article.

Or otherwise act thereon.

Voted, Unanimously, that the Town amend its Zoning By-laws, as amended in Section V-D, by deleting said section and inserting in place thereof, a new Section V-D, to read as follows as printed in the Warrant:

V-D OFF STREET PARKING AND LOADING REQUIREMENTS

1. Purpose

It is the intent of this section that any use of land involving the arrival, departure, parking or storage of motor vehicles be so designed and operated as to assure safe access and departure as well as adequate off-street parking to serve the uses of such land. In addition, this section is intended to insure that safe movement of pedestrians is provided for, both within the parcel and to adjacent parcels, and that necessary provisions are made for the safe use of such other means of transportation as may be reasonably expected to use a site. This section also has the additional purpose of providing minimum landscaping requirements for off-street parking facilities in order to preserve and increase the Town's health and safety.

2. Applicability

a) No building or structure constructed after March 26, 1975, shall be used or shall be changed to a greater category of parking demand as outlined in Section V-D.3., except in compliance with these Off-Street Parking and Loading Requirements.

ARTICLE 1 (Continued)

V-D OFF STREET PARKING AND LOADING REQUIREMENTS (Continued)

2. Applicability (Continued)

b) Any building, structure or land use with its parking lot or facilities, if any, which was existing or lawfully begun or for which a permit was issued prior to March 26, 1975 may continue its permitted operation or may be changed to a use within the same or lesser category of parking demand without having to conform to these Off-Street Parking and Loading Requirements. However, any building or structure or land use which changes its operation to a category of greater parking demand as outlined in Section V-D.3. must comply with these Off-Street Parking and Loading Requirements.

c) Where an existing building or structure has been damaged or destroyed by fire or other disaster, and reconstructed to the same size or lesser size as previously existed, the parking facilities which serve that building or structure may remain the same size and dimensions as previously existed, and continue, even though they do not conform to the requirements of this section, provided the building is not changed to a category of greater parking demand as outlined in V-D.3.

d) No existing off-street parking spaces shall be eliminated if their removal would cause the total number of spaces provided on a site to be less than the number required by this Section.

3. Parking Facilities Required by Category of Parking Demand

a) For 1 & 2 family-dwelling-units - 2 spaces for each dwelling unit; driveways may be included as required space for single and two-family dwellings.

b) For multiple-family-dwellings - 1 space for each 0-or 1 bedroom unit and 2 spaces for each unit of 2 bedrooms or more. All required spaces are to be provided within a distance not to exceed three hundred (300) feet from the building in which the specific family unit served is located. In a PCD District, parking lots shall not exceed 125 spaces in any one lot, and lots shall be at all points at least twenty-five (25) feet apart.

Note: Any housing which is specifically designed and constructed to meet the needs of the elderly may reduce the parking requirements for all such units by one-half.

c) Permitted Home Occupations - Spaces shall be provided as required for the occupational uses specified herein in addition to the spaces required for the dwelling.

d) For offices - 1 space per three hundred (300) square feet of gross floor area.

ARTICLE 1 (Continued)

V-D OFF STREET PARKING AND LOADING REQUIREMENTS (Continued)

3. Parking Facilities Required by Category of Parking Demand (Continued)

e) For financial institutions, retail stores, personal services, shops, and similar commercial uses - 1 space for each one hundred fifty (150) square feet of gross floor area.

f) For furniture, machinery, equipment, automobile and boat sales and-or service establishments - 1 space for each three hundred (300) square feet of gross floor area.

g) For restaurants, night clubs, bars and lounges - 1 space for each thirty (30) square feet of public area or 1 space for every 3 seats, whichever is greater.

h) For drive-in restaurants - 1 space for each fifty (50) square feet of gross floor area with a minimum of twenty (20) spaces.

i) For areas with fixed seating, such as churches, theatres, assembly halls or stadiums - 1 space for every three (3) seats.

j) For places of public assembly or public recreation not otherwise listed - 1 space for each five (5) occupants as permitted under the state building code.

k) For libraries, museums and non-commercial art galleries - 1 space for each seven hundred fifty (750) square feet of gross floor area.

l) For hotels, motels, lodging or boarding houses - 1 space for each unit available for occupancy. Where a restaurant is included in a hotel or motel only one-half of the spaces normally required for such a restaurant need be provided in excess of the spaces otherwise required for the hotel or motel.

m) Hospitals - 1 space for each bed, plus 1 space for each two (2) employees on largest shift.

n) Nursing homes - 1 space for each three (3) patient accommodations, plus 1 space for each two (2) employees on largest shift.

o) For funeral homes - 1 space for each fifty (50) square feet of public floor area, excluding residences which shall meet the requirements of 3.a or 3.b.

p) For industrial plants, wholesale establishments, warehouses and similar buildings - 1 space for each twelve hundred fifty (1250) square feet of gross floor area or 1 space for each three (3) persons normally employed on largest shift, whichever is greater.

ARTICLE 1 (Continued)

V-D OFF STREET PARKING AND LOADING REQUIREMENTS (Continued)

4. Interpretation of Off-Street Parking

- a) The parking required herein is in addition to space for storage of trucks or other vehicles used in connection with a business, commercial or industrial use.
- b) Where fractional spaces result, the parking spaces required shall be construed to be the next highest whole number.
- c) The parking space requirements for a use not specifically listed in this section shall be as specified by the Building Inspector based on a listed use of similar characteristics of parking demand generation.
- d) In the case of mixed uses, uses with different parking requirements occupying the same building or premises, the parking spaces required shall equal the sum of the requirements of the various uses computed separately.
- e) As used in Section V.D.3., gross floor area shall mean the total floor area of all floors, including basements, within the perimeter of the outside walls of the building under consideration, with no deduction for hallways, stairs, closets, thickness of walls, columns or other features. However, where a basement is used only for storage and not accessible to the public only one-fourth of such area need be included in the calculation of gross floor area.
- f) In a commercial district where outside sales or storage space is provided, the square foot area shall be added to the gross floor area for the purpose of calculating the required number of parking spaces.

5. Exceptions in C-1 District

In a C-1 District, the number of parking spaces required may be reduced up to one-half of the requirement of section V-D.3., when the Building Inspector determines that sufficient public parking spaces exist within close proximity of such activity to supplement its parking needs. As used herein, a public parking space shall be defined as any space which is open to the general public and whose use is not restricted by any posted notice regardless of whether it is public or privately owned.

In addition, the Building Inspector may waive all or part of these Off-Street Parking and Loading Requirements in a C-1 District if he determines that a reasonable effort has been made to meet the requirements and no additional spaces can be provided on a site.

6. Location of Required Parking Spaces

Required parking spaces shall normally be located on the same lot as the building or use which they serve. However, the Board of Appeals

ARTICLE 1 (Continued)

V-D OFF STREET PARKING AND LOADING REQUIREMENTS (Continued)

6. Location of Required Parking Spaces (Continued)

may grant a special permit to allow use of parking facilities not on the same lot but within 300 feet of the principal structure or use to be served provided that the Board of Appeals determines that proper provision is made to insure pedestrian and traffic safety and that the intent and purpose of this section of the by-law are attained.

Except as hereinafter provided, no land in a Residential District shall be used for off-street parking accessory to or to service a structure or use in a Commercial and-or Industrial District.

7. Minimum Area

For the purpose of this regulation, an off-street parking space is an all-weather surfaced area having a width of not less than nine (9) feet and a length of not less than eighteen (18) feet for angle parking or twenty-two (22) feet for parallel parking. The length required shall be measured on an axis parallel with the vehicle after it is parked. The required areas, other than those serving one-and two-family dwellings, are to be exclusive of driveways and shall be permanently reserved for the temporary parking of one automobile, and shall be connected with a street or public right-of-way by an all-weather surfaced driveway. In the case of single-family and two-family dwellings, all-weather surfaces shall not be required.

8. Pedestrian Safety

Crosswalks shall be provided in selected locations and clearly marked on the pavement to aid pedestrians when it is necessary for them to cross traffic flow to reach the use being served. As a minimum, off-street parking shall be separated from the building served by a paved walk at least four (4) feet wide with an eight (8) inch high safety curb or other safety devices as the Building Inspector may specify.

Such paved walk is required in all cases in front of buildings and shall be required along exterior side and rear walks if an entrance or exit normally used by the general public (excepting therefrom but not limited to fire doors and loading areas) is located along these walls, or if the wall is greater than fifty (50) feet in length.

9. Interior Drives

Interior drives shall be of adequate width to serve a particular design arrangement of parking spaces, the following being the minimum width permitted.

ARTICLE 1 (Continued)

V-D OFF STREET PARKING AND LOADING REQUIREMENTS (Continued)

9. Interior Drives (Continued)

<u>Type of Parking</u>	<u>Driveway Width</u>
90° to 61° parking	Twenty-four (24) feet
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Parallel Parking	Fifteen (15) feet

Ninety degree (90°) or parallel parking shall be used in all off-street parking lots unless there is positive control of traffic directions. Parking at angles at less than thirty degrees (30°) is prohibited except for parallel parking. The minimum width of any interior driveway serving an off-street parking area shall be fifteen (15) feet.

10. Entrance and Exit Driveways

a) Residence driveways shall not be less than nine (9) feet wide at the right-of-way line nor less than thirteen (13) feet at the curb line of lots for one-or two-family dwellings.

b) Driveways in Residential Multiple Commercial I, Commercial II, Industrial I, Industrial II, and PCD Districts, or serving uses allowed in these districts shall not be more than forty-five (45) feet wide at the right-of-way line and fifty-five (55) feet wide at the curb line unless otherwise specified by the Natick Department of Public Works or the Massachusetts Department of Public Works. Each parcel within these districts, or occupied by such use, will be entitled to two (2) driveways where the property has two hundred (200) feet of frontage or less. Additional driveways may be allowed by special permit by the Board of Appeals for lots with greater than two hundred (200) feet of frontage.

c) In all districts the entrance and exit driveways will be located so as to provide for safe access and egress to the parcel being served. In addition, evidence that the necessary driveway permits will be issued by either the Natick Department of Public Works for Town-controlled roads or State Department of Public Works for State-controlled roads must be presented before a building permit may be issued.

11. Marking

All required parking spaces, except for single-family or two-family residences, shall be marked by painted lines, maintained in good condition, curbs or other means to indicate individual spaces. Signs or markers painted or provided and maintained in good condition shall be used as necessary to insure efficient traffic flow within the lot.

ARTICLE 1 (Continued)

V-D OFF STREET PARKING AND LOADING REQUIREMENTS (Continued)

12. Surfacing and Drainage

In all parking areas other than those serving one- and two-family dwellings, the following requirements for surfacing and drainage shall apply.

Adequate storm water drainage shall be provided for all off-street parking areas. Required parking and truck loading facilities shall have an all-weather surfacing of bituminous concrete or concrete paving maintained in good condition and capable of allowing free and safe movement of all vehicles using the facility. The perimeter of all parking areas shall have a machine-formed curbing at least five inches high or pre-cast concrete bumpers, safety curbs or other protective devices.

The following minimum specifications shall apply to all bituminous concrete paving. It shall be placed in two layers, a binder course to be one and one-half (1 1/2) inches thick after compaction and a top course one (1) inch thick after compaction, to form a total thickness of pavement equal to two and one-half (2 1/2) inches after compaction.

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Adequate lighting shall be provided in lots of more than ten (10) spaces if off-street parking spaces are to be used at night. However, minimum security lighting must be provided in all lots serving other than one- and two-family residential. The lighting shall be arranged and installed to minimize glare on adjacent property. If property is not to be used at night, a note to that effect shall be indicated on the plan.

14. Truck Loading Space

In the case of hospitals, institutions, hotels, and retail wholesale and industrial buildings space shall be provided for loading and unloading of trucks at the rate of one (1) space not less than four hundred (400) square feet in area for each fifteen thousand (15,000) square feet of floor area or fraction thereof up to a total of thirty thousand (30,000) square feet, and four hundred (400) square feet for each additional thirty thousand (30,000) square feet. Such truck area shall be adjacent to the loading area or doors.

The provision for truck loading space may be waived by the Building Inspector where he determines that such space is not necessary for the operation of a particular use.

ARTICLE 1 (Continued)

V-D OFF STREET PARKING AND LOADING REQUIREMENTS (Continued)

15. Buffer Areas

Any off-street parking or storage area serving other than one (1) and two (2) family dwellings which abuts residentially zoned land shall be separated from such adjoining land by a ten (10) foot buffer area which shall be suitably landscaped and maintained with natural and living materials so as to form an effective year-round visual screen at least six (6) feet in height to insulate the residentially zoned land from the off-street parking area. Trees planted in this buffer area shall be at least six (6) feet in height and not less than two (2) inches in diameter immediately after planting. The Board of Appeals may by special permit allow the use of a fence, wall or other non-living structure to achieve the purpose of this buffer provided that it is determined to be a more effective and suitable buffer than could be provided with living materials.

As a minimum all off-street parking and loading areas except those serving one and two family dwellings shall be separated from adjacent properties by a four (4) foot buffer strip planted with grass or similar natural ground cover. However, where adjacent parcels agree to share a common parking area with a common entrance and exit the minimum four (4) foot buffer may be eliminated on all common property lines.

16. Landscaping Adjacent to Right-of-Way

A continuous landscaped strip shall be provided adjacent to the right-of-way line of any street (existing, proposed, paper, public, private) or highway. This landscaped strip shall not be less than ten (10) feet wide in any district and in Commercial II and Industrial II districts it shall have at least ten (10) feet of width for every one hundred (100) feet or fraction thereof of frontage up to a maximum required width of fifty (50) feet for other than one and two family uses. This strip is to be planted with at least one (1) tree of not less than two (2) inches caliper and at least six (6) feet in overall height immediately after planting for each fifty (50) lineal feet of frontage or fraction thereof.

However, said trees need not be located at fifty (50) foot intervals and may be grouped or arranged anywhere within this buffer area. Bituminous concrete or concrete paving is prohibited in this buffer area except for driveways and sidewalks.

The buffer adjacent to the right-of-way required by this section must be located within the affected parcel and state or local property within the right-of-way may not be used to meet the requirements of this section.

However, wherever possible the extension of grass or ground cover into said right-of-way is encouraged.

ARTICLE 1 (Continued)

V-D OFF STREET PARKING AND LOADING REQUIREMENTS (Continued)

17. Interior Landscaping

Off-street parking areas which cover 20 per cent or more of the total site area shall have at least ten (10) square feet of interior landscaping for each parking space. As used herein, interior landscaping shall be defined as landscaped islands or areas, exclusive of any other landscaping or buffer areas required elsewhere in these Off-Street Parking and Loading Requirements, which are contained within or project into the paved area of an off-street parking or loading area. Each separate landscaped area shall contain a minimum of one hundred (100) square feet, shall have a minimum dimension of at least five (5) feet, shall be planted with grass or small shrubs and shall include at least one deciduous tree of not less than two (2) inches in diameter and at least six (6) feet in overall height immediately after planting.

Each such island shall have a five (5) inch curb and may be used to locate hydrants within a parking area.

Whenever possible, such interior landscaping shall be located so as to promote safe and efficient channelization of both pedestrian and vehicular traffic.

18. Existing Landscaping Material

Every attempt shall be made to save as many existing trees as possible on a subject site. Major trees and outlines of wooded areas shall be shown on the required site plan.

19. Administration & Procedure

a) Permits - Where the requirements of these off-street regulations are applicable, an application for a building or use permit for other than one and two family dwellings must be accompanied by three copies of an Off-Street Parking and Storage Plan. The Building Inspector shall determine whether such plan is in compliance with the provisions of these Off-Street Parking and Loading Requirements. If the Building Inspector determines that the plan is not in compliance with these Off-Street Parking and Loading Requirements he shall deny the application in writing setting forth his grounds for denial.

b) Off-Street Parking and Storage Plan - The Off-Street Parking and Storage Plan required by this By-Law shall be drawn to a scale of 1" - 40' or such other scale as the Building Inspector may direct, and as a minimum shall show the following:

ARTICLE 1 (Continued)

V-D OFF STREET PARKING AND LOADING REQUIREMENTS (Continued)

19. Administration & Procedure (Continued)

- 1) the quantity, location and dimensions of all driveways, entrances, exits, parking spaces, truck loading and storage areas, sidewalks, and buffer areas;
- 2) the location, size and type of materials for surface paving, curbing or wheel stops, trees, landscaping, screening, lighting and drainage facilities;
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and
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d) Exceptions - The Board of Appeals may make exceptions to the provisions of this Section either upon appeal or upon written request of the owner, the owner's authorized representative, or with the written consent of the owner of a parcel of land in any case where, after a public hearing thereon, it shall find that literal enforcement would cause a substantial hardship or that literal compliance is impractical because of the size, width, depth, shape or grade of the lot, or the use to which it is to be put, or because a lesser area would, except in unusual circumstances, accommodate

ARTICLE 1 (Continued)

V-D OFF STREET PARKING AND LOADING REQUIREMENTS (Continued)

19. Administration & Procedure (Continued)

the motor vehicles of all persons at any time using the building, or less stringent requirements would carry out the other purposes of this Section or because of factors peculiar to the lot or building involved not generally affecting the zoning district in which it is located.

Acceptance of this article shall not be considered acceptance of Chapter 808 of the Acts of 1975 by this Town, and this sentence shall not be severable from the Article.

APPROVAL OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL

BOSTON, MASS.

September 27, 1976

The foregoing amendment to the Zoning By-Laws adopted under the warrant in Article 1 is hereby approved.

S/Francis X. Bellotti
Attorney General

A True Copy

Attest: Edward W. Devereaux
Town Clerk

(Published according to law)

ARTICLE 1 (Continued)

V-D OFF STREET PARKING AND LOADING REQUIREMENTS

PLANNING BOARD REPORT ON ARTICLE 1.

In accordance with Section VI-G of the Zoning By-Laws of the Town of Natick, the Planning Board held a Public Hearing on the subject matter of Article 1 of the Warrant for Special Town Meeting #3 of June 22, 1976 at the Town Office Building on June 3, 1976.

The hearing was advertised in the Suburban Press and Natick Bulletin on May 19 and May 26, 1976 and notices were mailed to the appropriate agencies and abutting towns in accordance with Chapter 808 of the Acts of 1975 (Revision of Chapter 40A).

The Planning Board recommends favorable action on Article 1.

Comments: The parking regulations of our by-law adopted last year have required amendment because of a number of appeals which came before the Board of Appeals. Although the Planning Board is of the opinion that the prior by-law was workable, this revised version represents the efforts of all those individuals who found fault with the prior by-law and made suggestions for revision. Adoption of this revised parking regulation will allow for flexibility in interpretation and remove any undue hardship in the C-1 District.

S/James M. Williamson
Chairman
Natick Planning Board

ARTICLE 2 (Personnel Board)

To see if the Town, pursuant to the authority contained in Section 180A of Chapter 41 of the General Laws, will vote to amend the By-laws by adding to Article VI-(a), Sections 2 and 3, a new paragraph deleting certain position titles, adding new position titles and effecting certain changes in the salary ranges as presently established and will provide the money necessary therefor.

Voted, that the Town, pursuant to the authority in Section 108A of Chapter 41 of the General Laws to amend Section 2 & 3 of Article VI (a) of its By-Laws by effecting the changes as noted in the Personnel Board Pay Plan as distributed to Town Meeting Members with the following exceptions:
1. to retain the sum recommended for Town Counsel at \$25,000.00 and to add in lieu of Column labeled '6 yr.+' insert "All Levels"

ARTICLE 2 (Continued)

After 6 years through 7 years - \$2.00 per week per year

After 8 years through 12 years - \$3.00 per week per year

After 13 years through 15 years - \$2.00 per week per year

3. Retain level 14 for Public Health Director and 4. Strike procedure for Salary Adjustments.

And that the said sum of \$47,626.00 be appropriated from the Current Tax Levy to be expended for such purposes under the direction of the respective Boards, Committees and Officers of the Town from their Salaries & Wages Accounts for the fiscal year 1976-1977, itemized as follows:-

Personnel Board	\$	50.00
Selectmen		2,814.00
Assessors		797.00
Town Clerk		814.00
PWD - Administration		1,462.00
Police Department		3,934.00
Fire Department		1,879.00
Building Department		6,700.00
Sealer of Weights & Measures		888.00
Dog Officer		601.00
Board of Health		4,396.00
Dental Clinic		335.00
Mosquito Control		1,260.00
Parking Meter Maintenance		567.00
Recreation		3,336.00
Veterans Services		1,905.00
Morse Institute Library		15,888.00

TOWN of NATICK 1976-77 PAY PLAN

See Page 119

PAY PLAN

TOWN of NATICK

1976-77 PAY PLAN

<u>Difference Between Levels</u>	<u>LEVEL</u>	<u>Base Salary</u>	<u>After 1 yr</u>	<u>After 2 yr</u>	<u>After 3 yr</u>	<u>After 4 yr</u>	<u>After 5 yr</u>	<u>After 6-7 yr</u>	<u>After 8-12 yr</u>	<u>After 13-15 yr</u>	<u>MAXIMUM</u>
11	1	\$133	\$138	\$143	\$148	\$153	\$158	\$2.00	\$3.00	\$2.00	\$183
11	2	144	149	154	159	164	169	2.00	3.00	2.00	194
11	3	155	160	165	170	175	180	2.00	3.00	2.00	205
12	4	167	172	177	182	187	192	2.00	3.00	2.00	217
13	5	180	186	192	198	204	210	2.00	3.00	2.00	235
14	6	194	200	206	212	218	224	2.00	3.00	2.00	249
16	7	208	214	220	226	232	238	2.00	3.00	2.00	263
17	8	224	232	240	248	256	264	2.00	3.00	2.00	289
19	9	241	249	257	265	273	281	2.00	3.00	2.00	306
21	10	260	268	276	284	292	300	2.00	3.00	2.00	325
25	11	281	291	301	311	321	331	2.00	3.00	2.00	356
25	12	306	316	326	336	346	356	2.00	3.00	2.00	381
26	13	331	341	351	361	371	381	2.00	3.00	2.00	406
26	14	357	370	383	396	409	422	2.00	3.00	2.00	447
	15	383	396	409	422	435	448	2.00	3.00	2.00	473

ARTICLE 2 (Continued)

POLICE DEPARTMENT

Chief - Chief's salary established by State Statute, Chapter 1082 of the Acts of 1971 at double the salary of the highest paid Patrolman.

Records Coordinator - Level 6

Janitor - Level 4

School Crossing Attendant - per month

<u>START</u>	<u>After 12 Months</u>	<u>After 24 Months</u>	<u>After 36 Months</u>	<u>After 48 Months</u>	<u>After 60 Months</u>
\$197.00	\$205.00	\$212.00	\$217.00	\$225.00	\$230.00

Substitute School Crossing Attendant - \$9.40 daily rate.

Part-Time Personnel	- Reserve Patrolman	\$ 36.00 per day
	Police Matron	3.85 per hour
	Janitor	3.15 per hour

FIRE DEPARTMENT

CHIEF - Chief's salary established by State Statute, Chapter 1082 of the Acts of 1971 at double the salary of the highest paid firefighter.

Motor Mechanic - Level 9

Administrative Assistant - Level 7

Civil Defense Fire Coordinator - \$500.00 single annual rate.

LIBRARY DEPARTMENT

	<u>LEVEL</u>
Head Librarian	12
Assistant Head Librarian	9
Cataloguer	8
Graduate Librarian	8
Supervisor of Children's Services	8
Bookmobile Librarian	5
Circulation Librarian	5
**Library Maintenance Worker (unskilled)	5
Librarian	4

**New position title

ARTICLE 2 (Continued)

LIBRARY DEPARTMENT (Continued)

<u>Part-time Personnel - hourly rates</u>	<u>START</u>	<u>1800 Hours</u>	<u>3600 Hours</u>	<u>5400 Hours</u>	<u>7200 Hours</u>	<u>9000 Hours</u>
Graduate Librarian	\$4.75	\$4.85	\$5.00	\$5.20	\$5.35	\$5.65
Library Assistant A	3.70	3.85	3.90	4.10	4.20	4.30
Library Assistant B	2.35					
Custodian	3.15					
Trustee & Library Clerk	4.75					

PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT

LEVEL

Director	14
Graduate Sanitarian	10
Public Health Nurse	7
Group Leader	6
Nurse	5
Scale Attendant	5
Medical Secretary	4
Dental Hygienist	1

Part-time Personnel

Nurse	\$ 4.75 per hour
Student Sanitarian	3.15 per hour
Laborer	3.15 per hour
Secretary to Board	300.00 single annual rate
Inspector of Animals	1,350.00 single annual rate

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

LEVEL

Director	15
Part-time Personnel	- Laborer - \$3.00 per hour
	Snow Shoveler - \$3.00 per hour

FORESTRY DEPARTMENT

Part-time Laborer	- \$3.00 per hour
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RECREATION DEPARTMENT

LEVEL

Superintendent	11
Assistant Superintendent	9
Junior-Senior Director	8

<u>Seasonal part-time personnel (hourly rates)</u>	<u>START</u>	<u>After 12 mos</u>	<u>After 24 mos</u>	<u>After 36 mos</u>	<u>After 48 mos</u>	<u>After 60 mos</u>
Season Supervisor	\$3.20	\$3.45	\$3.85	\$4.10	\$4.45	\$4.70
Beach Manager	3.20	3.45	3.85	4.10	4.45	4.70
Day Camp Director	3.20	3.45	3.85	4.10	4.45	4.70

ARTICLE 2 (Continued)

RECREATION DEPARTMENT (Continued)

	START	After 12 mos	After 24 mos	After 36 mos	After 48 mos	After 60 mos
Specialist - Sr. Lifeguard						
Sr. Swim Instructor						
Asst. Day Camp Instructor	\$2.85	\$3.15	\$3.45	\$3.85	\$4.10	\$4.45
Leader - Beach Guard						
Swim Instructor	2.60	2.90	3.20	3.45	3.85	4.10

Day Camp

Program - Cultural or Aqua Director	\$2.60	2.90	3.20	3.45	3.85	4.10
Assistant Leader	2.50					
Assistant Swim Instructor	2.65					
Clothing Attendant	2.65					
Beach Gate Clerk	2.65					
Park Attendant	2.65					
Temporary Park Laborer	2.90					
Temporary Park and Facility Attendant	2.35					

Senior Camp Counsellor \$47.50 per week

FEE SUBSIDIZED PERSONNEL

Per Session

Physical Director - I	\$ 22.25
Physical Director - II	12.10
Physical Director - III	8.75
Physical Director - IV	5.75
Creative Arts Director	22.15
Creative Arts Specialist	13.50
Technical Assistant	6.00
Apprentice	4.50
Sports Official I	13.50 per game
Sports Official II	11.00 per game
Sports Official III	7.00 per game
Sports Statistician	1.50 per game

SELECTMEN'S DEPARTMENT

LEVEL

Comptroller	15
Executive Secretary	15
Planning Director (see note)	14
* Building Inspector	13
** Local Inspector (Building)	11
Chief Accountant	11
Director of Veteran Services	11
Accountant	9
Secretary to Board of Selectmen	6
Assistant Town Clerk	6

* Level Increase

** New position title

ARTICLE 2 (Continued)

SELECTMEN'S DEPARTMENT (Continued)

LEVEL

Assistant Town Treasurer	5
Sealer of weights and measures	4
Parking Meter Collector and Maintenance Officer	4

Dog Officer - \$220.50 weekly - Town to receive twenty-four hour coverage.
Two weeks vacation to be granted.
No sick leave, no overtime to be granted.
Dog officer will provide adequate coverage
for all absences and holidays, other than
two weeks vacation, fifteen week-ends per
year.

Deputy Dog Officer - \$46.20 per week-end - Said week-ends to be limited
to fifteen per year, to commence at 12:00 Midnight
on Friday and end at 12:00 Midnight on Sunday.

Election Personnel

Precinct Warden	\$ 50.00 per election service
Precinct Clerk	50.00 per election service
Deputy Warden	2.85 per hour
Deputy Clerk	2.85 per hour
Precinct Inspector	2.55 per hour
Election Workers	2.40 per hour

NOTE: PLANNING DIRECTOR - Any appointee to said position shall hold a
Bachelor Degree in Municipal Planning or Civil
Engineering and have no less than four years
of relevant professional experience or shall
hold a Master's Degree in Municipal Planning or
Civil Engineer and have no less than two years
of relevant professional experience (ATM 1969)

Part-time Personnel

Burial Officer	\$ 400.00 single annual rate
Plumbing Inspector	6.00 per inspection
Wiring Inspector	6.00 per inspection
Registrar of Voters	500.00 single annual rate
Census Takers	3.00 per hour
Temporary part-time Clerk	2.60 per hour
Town Counsel	\$25,000.00 per year
Town Meeting Page Boy	6.00 per evening

ARTICLE 2 (Continued)

Council on Aging

Director	\$7,148.00 annual rate
Part-time Clerk	2.30 per hour
Part-time Custodian	2.30 per hour
Part-time Asst. Custodian	2.30 per hour
Part-time Arts & Crafts Instructor	3.55 per hour

ASSESSORS DEPARTMENT

LEVEL

Certified Town Appraiser	14
Chief Clerk	6

FINANCE COMMITTEE

Executive Secretary	\$4.00 per hour for all hours worked
	\$4.35 per hour for all hours worked after 2000 hours

PERSONNEL BOARD

Executive Secretary	\$1,440.00 annual rate
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EXCEPTIONS TO GENERAL RATE INCREASE:

Burial Officer
Fireman on Civil Defense
Inspector of Animals
Plumbing Inspector
Wiring Inspector
Town Meeting Page
Precinct Warden
Precinct Clerk
Registrar of Voters
Secretary to Board of Health
Town Counsel

ARTICLE 3 (Planning Board)

To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Laws of the Town of Natick as follows:

In Section V-D MINIMUM RESIDENTIAL FLOOR AREA, by changing the period to a semi-colon at the end thereof and adding thereafter the following:

"provided, however, that in multi-residential districts RM, PCD, and SH the minimum Residential Floor Area for a single-bedroom apartment shall be 650 sq. ft."

ARTICLE 3 (Continued)

or otherwise act thereon.

No Action Carries on the subject matter of Article 3 - 2/3 Vote Required.

PLANNING BOARD REPORT ON ARTICLE 3.

In accordance with Section VI-G of the Zoning By-Laws of the Town of Natick, the Planning Board held a Public Hearing on the subject matter of Article 3 of the Warrant of Special Town Meeting #3 of June 22, 1976, at the Town Office Building on June 3, 1976.

The hearing was advertised in the Suburban Press and Natick Bulletin on May 19 and May 26, 1976 and notices were mailed to the appropriate agencies and abutting towns in accordance with Chapter 808 of the Acts of 1975 (Revision of Chapter 40A).

PLANNING BOARD RECOMMENDATION

The Planning Board recommends favorable action on Article 3.

COMMENTS: The majority of the Planning Board recommends favorable action on this article which seeks to amend the Zoning By-Law by reducing the minimum number of square feet in a one-bedroom apartment in any RM, PCD or SH district by 70 feet. Currently, any dwelling unit, including houses, must be at least 720 square feet.

It is the opinion of the Planning Board that 650 square feet for a one-bedroom apartment is reasonable in those areas which are zoned specifically for multi-residence. This change will not affect other zoning districts in the community.

S/James M. Williamson
Chairman
Natick Planning Board

ARTICLE 4 (Planning Board)

To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Laws of the Town of Natick as follows:

In Section 1 Subsection 1 E DEFINITIONS by striking the definition of "Central-Type Apartment House" and inserting therefor the following:

"An apartment house of more than one level with more than eight (8) apartments, each such apartment house providing at least one (1) major stairway and no less than two (2) separate and direct means of egress from the building."

ARTICLE 4 (Continued)

Voted, Unanimously, that the Town amend the Zoning By-Laws of the Town of Natick as follows:

In Section 1 Subsection 1E DEFINITIONS by striking the definition of "Central-Type Apartment House" and inserting therefor the following:

"An apartment house of more than one level with more than eight (8) apartments, each such apartment house providing at least one (1) major stairway and no less than two (2) separate and direct means of egress from the building."

APPROVAL of the ATTORNEY GENERAL

BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS

September 27, 1976

The foregoing amendment to the Zoning By-Laws adopted under Article 4 of the Warrant is hereby approved.

S/Francis X. Bellotti
Attorney General

A TRUE COPY

ATTEST: Edward W. Devereaux
Town Clerk

(Published according to Law)

ARTICLE 4 (Continued)

PLANNING BOARD REPORT ON ARTICLE 4.

In accordance with Section VI-G of the Zoning By-Laws of the Town of Natick, the Planning Board held a Public Hearing on the subject matter of Article 4 of the Warrant of Special Town Meeting #3 of June 22, 1976, at the Town Office Building on June 3, 1976.

The hearing was advertised in the Suburban Press and Natick Bulletin on May 19 and May 26, 1976 and notices were mailed to the appropriate agencies and abutting towns in accordance with Chapter 808 of the Acts of 1975 (Revision of Chapter 40A).

PLANNING BOARD RECOMMENDATION

The Planning Board recommends favorable action on Article 4.

Comments: This article proposes to make a minor correction in the definition of the term "Central-Type Apartment House" as used in our by-laws. It has been suggested that the prior definition presented difficulties in obtaining financing for projects including such dwellings. The revision would remove such difficulties.

S/James M. Williamson, Chairman
Natick Planning Board

10:00 P.M. Voted, to dissolve Special Town Meeting No. 3.

A Record of the Proceedings of the First and Final Session of Special Town Meeting No. 3.

Ruth M. Klein
Temporary Town Clerk
For Special Town Meeting No. 3.

A TRUE COPY

ATTEST: Ruth M. Klein
Temporary Town Clerk
For Special Town Meeting No. 3

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING No. 4

FIRST SESSION

JUNE 22, 1976

10:00 P.M. Chair now reconvenes and takes up the business of Special Town Meeting No. 4.

Voted, to waive reading of the Warrant and to waive reading of itemization in the Finance Committee motions when that itemization is exactly the same as printed in the Finance Committee Report, and to waive reading of itemization in any motions where there has been a distribution thereof in writing to Town Meeting Members, and to omit reading of the Articles when calling them and to refer to them by subject matter or number.

The Warrant for Special Town Meeting No. 4 and the Finance Committee Report were mailed to all Town Meeting Members and the various Town Boards and Officials on Thursday, June 10, 1976.

The Finance Committee held its hearing on the Articles of Special Town Meeting No. 4 on Tuesday, June 1, 1976 at 7:30 P.M. at the Center School Cafeteria, 13 East Central Street.

ARTICLE 1
(Board of Selectmen)

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, or otherwise provide, an additional sum of money for the maintenance and operation of the Police Department for the fiscal year 1976-1977.

Voted, Unanimously, that the Town appropriate the sum of \$145,745.00 for the maintenance and operation of the Police Department for the fiscal year 1976-1977, and that the same be expended only for such purposes under the direction of the Police Department, itemized as follows:

Salaries & Wages	\$ 140,845.00
Expenses	4,900.00

and that said sum of \$145,745.00 be appropriated from the Current Tax Levy.

ARTICLE 2
(Board of Selectmen)

To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money to supplement a federal grant to the Town of Natick under the provisions of Federal Funding of Bicentennial Projects.

Voted, that the subject matter of Article 2 be by-passed.

ARTICLE 3
(Tree Warden and Board of Selectmen)

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money or otherwise provide a sum of money for the purchase of equipment for the Forestry Department, said sum to be expended under the direction of the Central Equipment Purchasing Committee, or otherwise act thereon.

Voted, that the Town appropriate the sum of \$38,500.00 to be expended under the direction of the Central Equipment Purchasing Committee for the purchase of equipment for the Forestry Department, and that said sum of \$38,500.00 be appropriated from the Current Tax Levy.

ARTICLE 4
(School Committee)

To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, or otherwise provide, for salary payments to School Department employees for the 1976-77 fiscal year as a result of collective bargaining negotiations, and to add said amount to the 1976-77 fiscal year School Department budget.

Voted, that the Salaries & Wages Account of the School Department budget as approved under Article IX of the Annual Town Meeting be increased by the sum of \$458,361.00 which reflects the negotiated settlement between the Natick School Committee and the Education Association of Natick. Said amount to be taken from the Current Tax Levy.

ARTICLE 5
(Planning Board)

To see if the Town will appropriate a sum of money for acquiring the land consisting of approximately 63.6 acres, more or less, and buildings thereon, known as the Natick Country Club and parking lot, said land being further described by reference to the Assessors' Maps of the Town of Natick as follows:

<u>Map No.</u>	<u>Lot No.</u>	<u>Area</u>
32	49D	7,950 sq. ft.
33	21	48,677 sq. ft.
33	22A	49,945 sq. ft.
33	22B	12,595 sq. ft.
33	61	58.28 acres
33	62	76,950 sq. ft.
33	61A	34,294 sq. ft.

from Andrew J. Lane of Framingham, Mass., or title holder of record, by purchase or by eminent domain taking, for any or all of the following municipal purposes: conservational and multi-purpose recreational; to --

ARTICLE 5 (Continued)

determine whether the appropriation shall be raised by borrowing or otherwise; or take any action relative thereto.

No action carries on the subject matter of Article 5 - 2/3 Vote Required.

12:55 A.M. Voted, to dissolve Special Town Meeting No. 4.

A Record of the Proceedings of the First and Final Session of Special Town Meeting No. 4.

Ruth M. Klein
Temporary Town Clerk for Special
Town Meeting No. 4.

A TRUE COPY

ATTEST: Ruth M. Klein
Temporary Town Clerk for Special
Town Meeting No. 4.

No action taken on the following Article 6 of the Warrant for Special Town Meeting No. 4.

ARTICLE 6
(Board of Selectmen)

To see if the Town will establish a Natick Land Management Committee of five (5) citizens appointed by the Board of Selectmen and to include if possible: a landscape architect, a lawyer, and an engineer. Said committee to: operate present on-site facilities including buildings and grounds for a period of one year under the authority of the Board of Selectmen; to study, hold two public hearings and make recommendations to the Board of Selectmen for the further use and/or disposition of the land consisting of approximately 63.6 acres more or less, and the buildings thereon, known as the Natick Country Club and parking lot. To appropriate a sum of money to maintain said multi-recreational facility, to be expended under the authority of the Board of Selectmen, until final disposition has been decided or take any other action relative thereto.

WARRANT for STATE PRIMARY

THE COMMONWEALTH of MASSACHUSETTS

MIDDLESEX, ss.

SEPTEMBER 14, 1976

In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town who are qualified to vote in Primaries to meet in:

Precinct 1 - Center School
Precinct 2 - Eliot School
Precinct 3 - Kennedy Junior High School
Precinct 4 - Murphy School
Precinct 5 - Lilja School
Precinct 6 - Wilson Junior High School
Precinct 7 - Harold Johnson School
Precinct 8 - Natick Senior High School

TUESDAY, the FOURTEENTH DAY of SEPTEMBER, 1976

at 8:00 A.M. to 8:00 P.M., for the following purposes:

To bring in their votes to the Primary Officers for the Nomination of Candidates of Political Parties for the following offices:

UNITED STATES SENATOR	for this Commonwealth
REPRESENTATIVE in CONGRESS	for 10th Congressional District
COUNCILLOR	for 2nd Councillor District
SENATOR	for 1st Senatorial Middlesex & Norfolk District
TWO REPRESENTATIVES in GENERAL COURT	One for 54th Mdlsex Representative District (Precincts 1,2,4,7,8) One for 55th Mdlsex Representative District (precincts 3,5,6)
CLERK of COURTS	for Middlesex County
REGISTER of DEEDS	for Middlesex Dist., So. Mdlsex Dist.
TWO COUNTY COMMISSIONERS	for Middlesex County

The polls will be open from 8:00 A.M. to 8:00 P.M.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting attested copies thereof in each of the Post Offices in said Natick, and at the following public places in said Natick, to wit: Entrance to Selectmen's Rooms, West Central Street, Precinct 7; Natick Police Station, Precinct 1; Central Fire Station, Precinct 7; Town Clerk's Office, Precinct 1; Fire Station, South Natick, Precinct 2; Fire Station, West Natick, Precinct 3; Pole #53 at intersection of North Main and Bacon Streets, Precinct 4; Fire Station, East Natick and Lilja School, Oak Street, Precinct 5; Pole #114 North Main Street opposite Pine Street, Precinct 6; Pole #15 at intersection of Everett and Cottage Streets, Little South, Precincts 1 and 2; Johnson School, South Main Street, Precinct 7; West School on Mill Street and pole at intersection of Speen and Mill Streets in Precinct 8.

WARRANT for STATE PRIMARY (Continued)

Above locations being at least one public place in each Precinct in the Town of Natick, seven days at least before September 14, 1976; also by causing an attested copy of said Warrant to be published once in the newspaper called "The Natick Bulletin" publication to be seven days at least before the day appointed for said meeting, said publication being September 1, 1976.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this Warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at or before the time appointed for holding said meeting.

Given under our hands this 23rd day of August, A.D. 1976.

Daniel J. O'Leary

William H. White

Peter H. Garland

Erica E. Ball

SELECTMEN of NATICK

A TRUE COPY

Attest: William B. Rogers
CONSTABLE

OFFICER'S RETURN

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Middlesex, ss.

Natick, September 8, 1976

By virtue of this Warrant I have notified the qualified voters of the Town of Natick to meet at the times, places and for the purposes within specified by posting attested copies of said Warrant at the several locations and places therein designated for that purpose, Friday, September 3, 1976; also by causing an attested copy of said Warrant to be published in the newspaper called "The Natick Bulletin", this newspaper published in the said Town of Natick, in the issue dated September 1, 1976, all as within directed.

William B. Rogers
Constable

A True Copy of the Warrant and the Officer's Return Thereon.

Edward W. Devereaux
Town Clerk

PROCEEDINGS

Natick,
September 14, 1976

Meeting opened in all eight Precincts at 8:00 A.M. with the usual legal formalities.

TOTAL NUMBER OF BALLOTS CAST: 3046 REPUBLICAN - 436
DEMOCRAT - 2610

REPUBLICAN VOTE BY PRECINCT

<u>PRECINCT</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
	45	44	83	56	78	60	52	18	436

SENATOR IN CONGRESS

Michael S. Robertson
Swing Drive.
Berkley

34	36	63	46	60	43	44	10	336
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CONGRESSMAN - Tenth District - Vote for One

Margaret M. Heckler
30 Colburn Road
Wellesley

41	42	71	49	73	57	49	15	397
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COUNCILLOR - Second District - Vote for One

Lester W. Bowen
47 Willow Road
Reading

-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
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SENATOR - First Middlesex & Norfolk District - Vote for One

Robert G. Watson
52 Burning Tree Road
Natick

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William B. Webb
46 Cochituate Road
Framingham

36	37	69	48	64	49	48	12	363
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PROCEEDINGS (Continued)

REPUBLICAN

<u>PRECINCT</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
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REPRESENTATIVE in General Court - 54th Middlesex District - Vote for One

REPRESENTATIVE in General Court - 55th Middlesex District - Vote for One

Robert G. Watson
52 Burning Tree Road
Natick

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CLERK of COURTS - Middlesex County - Vote for One

Joan R. Needleman
80 Puritan Road
Newton

31	30	66	46	60	42	46	11	332
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REGISTER of DEEDS - Middlesex Southern District - Vote for One

Lester Bowen
47 Willow Road
Reading

7	3	0	2	6	6	0	0	24
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COUNTY COMMISSIONER - Middlesex County - Vote for Not More Than Two

Carl J. Cinotta
183 Robbins Street
Waltham

33	34	68	45	56	46	42	11	335
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DEMOCRATIC PROCEEDINGS

TOTAL BALLOTS CAST: 2610

RESULT by PRECINCT

411	187	455	327	379	397	291	163	2610
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SENATOR in CONGRESS - Vote for One

Edward M. Kennedy
Squaw Island
Barnstable

321	140	349	253	278	318	219	127	2005
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PROCEEDINGS (Continued)

DEMOCRAT

<u>PRECINCT</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
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SENATOR in CONGRESS - Vote for One (Continued)

Robert Emmet Dinsmore
37 Columbine Road
Milton

51	36	76	52	81	54	48	29	427
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Frederick C. Langone
118 Richmond Street
Boston

33	10	23	14	15	14	15	7	131
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Bernard P. Shannon
42 Warren Avenue
Stoughton

5	1	5	5	4	7	6	0	33
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CONGRESSMAN - Tenth District - Vote for One

COUNCILLOR - Second District - Vote for One

George F. Cronin, Jr.
58 Cerdan Avenue
Boston

201	75	212	153	187	190	156	94	1268
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Frank J. Guaragna
1077 South Street
Boston

85	48	89	71	62	72	53	27	507
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SENATOR - First Middlesex & Norfolk District - Vote for One

Edward L. Burke
83 Warren Road
Framingham

237	114	253	202	207	258	174	88	1533
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Joseph P. Conlon
678 Edgell Road
Framingham

75	19	70	42	57	44	62	36	405
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PROCEEDINGS (Continued)

DEMOCRAT

<u>PRECINCT</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
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SENATOR - First Middlesex & Norfolk District - Vote for One (Continued)

Carl M. Rice
32 Lovering Street
Medway

28	26	27	34	14	23	15	6	173
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Thomas P. Tierney
19 Carling Road
Framingham

40	17	66	29	73	51	30	15	321
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REPRESENTATIVE in General Court - 54th Middlesex District - Vote for One

Walter T. Burke
55 Walnut Street
Natick

326	145	-	266	-	-	239	130	1106
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Louis R. Nickinello
68 Pine Street
Natick

-	-	293	-	275	276	-	-	844
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CLERK of COURTS - Middlesex County - Vote for One

Edward J. Sullivan
1105 Mass. Avenue
Cambridge

233	105	273	197	227	223	194	101	1553
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REGISTER of DEEDS - Middlesex Southern District - Vote for One

John F. Zamparelli
4 Doane Road
Medford

236	96	240	182	201	199	176	95	1425
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COUNTY COMMISSIONER - Middlesex County - Vote for not more than Two

Michael E. McLaughlin
324 Treble Cove Road
Billerica

178	60	188	140	137	124	143	79	1049
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PROCEEDINGS (Continued)

DEMOCRAT

<u>PRECINCT</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
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COUNTY COMMISSIONER - Middlesex County - Vote for not more than Two

S. Lester Ralph 73 Wheatland St. Somerville	108	63	125	105	92	148	58	44	743
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Joyce Morrissey Beatty 21 Goddard Street Newton	64	39	76	55	83	76	57	37	487
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Richard Robert Caples 79 Country Drive Weston	72	31	81	46	73	67	44	17	431
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Thomas F. Coughlin 9 Crescent Road Lexington	72	33	76	47	65	51	53	29	426
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Bernard J. Hennessy 12 Village Road Sudbury	91	47	94	83	113	110	66	31	635
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AMERICAN PARTY

PROCEEDINGS

SENATOR in CONGRESS - Vote for One

CONGRESSMAN - Vote for One

COUNCILLOR - Vote for One

SENATOR - Vote for One

REPRESENTATIVE in General Court - Vote for One

CLERK of COURTS - Vote for One

PROCEEDINGS (Continued)

AMERICAN PARTY

REGISTER OF DEEDS - Vote for One

COUNTY COMMISSIONER - Vote for not more than Two

A Record of the Proceedings of the State Primary held on
September 14, 1976.

Edward W. Devereaux
Town Clerk

A TRUE COPY

ATTEST: Edward W. Devereaux
Town Clerk

WARRANT

for

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING No. 5

OCTOBER 19, 1976

THE COMMONWEALTH of MASSACHUSETTS

Middlesex, ss.

To any Constable of the Town of Natick in said County:

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are required
to notify the qualified Town Meeting Members of the said Town of Natick
to meet in the Senior High School Auditorium, Natick, on

TUESDAY EVENING, OCTOBER 19, 1976

at 7:30 o'clock then and there to act on the following articles:

The following articles are to be acted upon and determined exclusive-
ly by Town Meeting Members in accordance with Chapter 2 of the Acts of 1938
and Amendments thereto and subject to the referendum provided thereby.

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING No. 5 (Continued)

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting attested copies thereof in each of the Post Offices in said Natick and at the following public places in said Natick, to wit: Entrance to Selectmen's Rooms, West Central Street, Precinct 7; Natick Police Station, Park Street, Precinct 1; Central Fire Station, Summer Street, Precinct 7; Town Clerk's Office, East Central Street, Precinct 4; Fire Station, South Natick, Precinct 2; Fire Station, West Natick, Precinct 3; Fire Station, East Natick, Precinct 5; Pole #53 at intersection of North Main and Bacon Streets, Precinct 4; Lilja School, Oak Street, Precinct 5; Pole #114 North Main Street opposite Pine Street, Precinct 6; Pole #15 at intersection of Everett and Cottage Streets, Precincts 1 and 2; Johnson School, South Main Street, Precinct 7; West School, Mill Street, Precinct 8; and pole at intersection of Mill and Speen Streets, Precinct 8.

The above locations being at least one public place in each Precinct in the Town of Natick, twenty one days at least before October 19, 1976, also by causing an attested copy of said Warrant to be published once in the newspaper called "The Natick Bulletin", said publication to be September 29, 1976.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this Warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at or before the time appointed for holding said meeting.

Given under our hands this 27th day of September, A.D., 1976.

Daniel J. O'Leary

William H. White

Peter H. Garland

Erica E. Ball

SELECTMEN of NATICK

A TRUE COPY

ATTEST: William B. Rogers
CONSTABLE

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING No. 5 (Continued)

OFFICER'S RETURN

COMMONWEALTH of MASSACHUSETTS

Natick, October 6, 1976

Middlesex, ss.

By virtue of this Warrant I have notified the qualified voters of the said Town of Natick to meet at the times, places, and for the purposes within specified by posting attested copies of said Warrant at the several locations and places therein designated for that purpose, Monday, October 4, 1976; also by causing an attested copy of said Warrant to be published in the newspaper called "The Natick Bulletin", said newspaper published in the said Town of Natick, in the issue dated September 29, 1976, all as within directed.

William B. Rogers
CONSTABLE Town of Natick

A True Copy of the Warrant and the Officer's Return Thereon.

Edward W. Devereaux
Town Clerk

A TRUE COPY

ATTEST: Edward W. Devereaux
TOWN CLERK

WARRANT
for
SPECIAL TOWN MEETING No. 6
OCTOBER 19, 1976

THE COMMONWEALTH of MASSACHUSETTS

Middlesex, ss.

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Greeting:

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SPECIAL TOWN MEETING No. 6 (Continued)

TUESDAY EVENING, OCTOBER 19, 1976

at 7:30 o'clock then and there to act on the following articles:

The following articles are to be acted upon and determined exclusively by Town Meeting Members in accordance with Chapter 2 of the Acts of 1938 and Amendments thereto and subject to the referendum provided thereby.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting attested copies thereof in each of the Post Offices in said Natick and at the following public places in said Natick, to wit: Entrance to Selectmen's Rooms, West Central Street, Precinct 7; Natick Police Station, Park Street, Precinct 1; Central Fire Station, Summer Street, Precinct 7; Town Clerk's Office, East Central Street, Precinct 4; Fire Station, South Natick, Precinct 2; Fire Station, West Natick, Precinct 3; Fire Station, East Natick, Precinct 5; Pole #53 at intersection of North Main and Bacon Streets, Precinct 4; Lilja School, Oak Street, Precinct 5; Pole #114 North Main Street opposite Pine Street, Precinct 6; Pole #15 at intersection of Everett and Cottage Streets, Precincts 1 and 2; Johnson School, South Main Street, Precinct 7; West School, Mill Street, Precinct 8; and pole at intersection of Mill and Speen Streets, Precinct 8.

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SELECTMEN of NATICK

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ATTEST: William B. Rogers
CONSTABLE

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING No. 6 (Continued)

OFFICER'S RETURN

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William B. Rogers
CONSTABLE Town of Natick

A True Copy of the Warrant and the Officer's Return Thereon.

Edward W. Devereaux
Town Clerk

A TRUE COPY

ATTEST: Edward W. Devereaux
TOWN CLERK

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING No. 5

FIRST SESSION

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING No. 6

FIRST SESSION

OCTOBER 19, 1976

7:30 P.M. Meeting called to order by the Moderator who declared there was a Quorum present.

Newly appointed Town Meeting Member sworn in by the Moderator.

Chair suspends Special Town Meeting No. 6 and takes up the business of Special Town Meeting No. 5.

Voted, to waive reading of the Warrant and to waive reading of itemization in the Finance Committee motions when that itemization is exactly the same as printed in the Finance Committee Report; and to waive reading of itemization in any motions where there has been a distribution thereof in writing to Town Meeting Members, and to omit reading of the Articles when calling them and to refer to them by subject matter or number.

The Warrant for Special Town Meeting No. 5 and the Finance Committee Report were mailed to all Town Meeting Members and the various Town Boards and Officials on October 8, 1976.

The Finance Committee held its Public Hearing on Tuesday evening, October 5, 1976, at the Center School at 8:00 P.M.

ARTICLE 1

(Board of Selectmen)

To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the funds necessary to implement the terms of Agreements reached between the Town and the Natick Supervisors' and Administrators' Association, or otherwise act thereon.

Voted, that the Town appropriated the sum of \$15,644.00 for the fiscal year July 1, 1976 to June 30, 1977 to implement the terms of Agreements reached between the Town and the Natick Supervisors' and Administrators' Association, effective July 1, 1976, to be expended for the specific purposes hereinafter designated, and only for such purposes, under the direction of the respective Boards, Committees or Officers of the Town, itemized as follows:

ARTICLE 1 (Continued)

Public Works Department, Salaries and Wages

Administration	\$ 1,888.00
Engineering	3,787.00
Equipment Maintenance	2,033.00
Highway	1,888.00
Water	1,022.00
Sewer	1,022.00
Sanitation	2,044.00
Forestry	1,980.00

and that said sum of \$15,664.00 be taken from surplus revenue - free cash.

ARTICLE 2
(Commissioners of Public Works)

To see if the Town will vote to raise, appropriate, transfer from available funds, or otherwise provide a sum or sums of money for the design and cost estimates of a sanitary sewer system for the Evergreen Road, Fisher Street, and South Natick sections of Natick, and to authorize the Commissioners of Public Works to accept Federal and State aid in connection with the project or otherwise act thereon.

Voted, that the subject matter of Article 2 be referred back to the Commissioners of Public Works.

8:20 P.M. Voted, to dissolve Special Town Meeting No. 5.

A Record of the Proceedings of the First and Final Session of Special Town Meeting No. 5.

Ruth M. Klein
Acting Town Clerk

A TRUE COPY

ATTEST: Ruth M. Klein
Acting Town Clerk

8:25 P.M. Chair reconvenes and takes up the business of Special Town Meeting No. 6.

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING No. 6

FIRST SESSION

OCTOBER 19, 1976

8:25 P.M. Special Town Meeting No. 6 called to order by the Moderator.

Voted, to waive reading of the Warrant and to waive reading of itemization in the Finance Committee motions when that itemization is exactly the same as printed in the Finance Committee Report; and to waive reading of itemization in any motions where there has been a distribution thereof in writing to Town Meeting Members, and to omit reading of the Articles when calling them and to refer to them by subject matter or number.

The Warrant for Special Town Meeting No. 6 and the Finance Committee Report were mailed to all Town Meeting Members and the various Town Boards and Officials on October 8, 1976.

The Finance Committee held its Public Hearing on Tuesday evening, October 5, 1976, at the Center School at 8:00 P.M.

ARTICLE 1

(John P. Burke, et.al.)

To see if the Town will vote to rescind the action taken at Special Town Meeting No. 4, June 3, 1975, Article 11, relating to the appropriation of \$2,898,000.00 for the purpose of defraying the development, acquisition, and operating costs of the Natick Center - Summer Street Urban Renewal Project, and its authorization of the Treasurer to borrow \$2,898,000.00 to raise this appropriation.

Voted, Counted Vote - 130 in Favor

57 Opposed - that the Town rescind the action taken at Special Town Meeting No. 4, June 3, 1975, Article 11, relating to the appropriation of \$2,898,000.00 for the purpose of defraying the development, acquisition, and operating costs of the Natick Center - Summer Street Urban Renewal Project, and its authorization of the Treasurer to borrow \$2,898,000.00 to raise this appropriation.

ARTICLE 2

(John P. Burke, et.al.)

To see if the Town will vote to rescind the action taken at Special Town Meeting No. 4, June 3, 1975, Article 111, relating to the authorization of the Board of Selectmen to apply for and accept Federal and State aid for the Natick Center - Summer Street Urban Renewal Project.

ARTICLE 2 (Continued)

Voted, that the Town rescind the action taken at Special Town Meeting No. 4, June 3, 1975, Article III, relating to the authorization of the Board of Selectmen to apply for and accept Federal and State aid for the Natick Center - Summer Street Urban Renewal Project.

ARTICLE 3 (John P. Burke, et.al.)

To see if the Town will vote to rescind the action taken at Special Town Meeting No. 4, June 3, 1975, Article IV, relating to the appropriation of \$1,088,000.00 for the purpose of constructing a parking deck or garage in the Natick Center - Summer Street Urban Renewal Project, and its authorization to the Treasurer to borrow \$1,088,000.00 by issuing bonds or notes of the Town to raise this appropriation.

Voted, that the Town rescind the action taken at Special Town Meeting No. 4, June 3, 1975, Article IV, relating to the appropriation of \$1,088,000.00 for the purpose of constructing a parking deck or garage in the Natick Center - Summer Street Urban Renewal Project, and its authorization to the Treasurer to borrow \$1,088,000.00 by issuing bonds or notes of the Town to raise this appropriation.

ARTICLE 4 (John P. Burke, et.al.)

To see if the Town will vote to direct the Treasurer, upon instructions from the Board of Selectmen, to refrain from any further borrowing or issuing of any bonds or notes of any kind on behalf of the Natick Center - Summer Street Urban Renewal Project and that the Treasurer be further instructed to make the necessary arrangements for the refunding of any outstanding bank notes or agreements that he presently is holding on behalf of the Town for the Natick Center - Summer Street Urban Renewal Project.

Voted, that the Town direct the Treasurer, upon instructions from the Board of Selectmen, to refrain from any further borrowing or issuing of any bonds or notes of any kind on behalf of the Natick Center - Summer Street Urban Renewal Project and that the Treasurer be further instructed to make the necessary arrangements for the refunding of any outstanding bank notes or agreements that he presently is holding on behalf of the Town for the Natick Center - Summer Street Urban Renewal Project.

11:20 P.M. Voted, to dissolve Special Town Meeting No. 6.

ARTICLE 4 (Continued)

A Record of the Proceedings of the First and Final Session of Special Town Meeting No. 6.

Ruth M. Klein
Acting Town Clerk

A TRUE COPY

ATTEST: Ruth M. Klein
Acting Town Clerk

WARRANT
for
STATE ELECTION
NOVEMBER 2, 1976

THE COMMONWEALTH of MASSACHUSETTS

Middlesex, ss.

To any Constable of the Town of Natick in said County:

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town who are qualified to vote in State Elections to meet in:

Precinct 1 - Center School
Precinct 2 - Eliot School
Precinct 3 - Kennedy Junior High School
Precinct 4 - Murphy School
Precinct 5 - Lilja School
Precinct 6 - Wilson Junior High School
Precinct 7 - Harold Johnson School
Precinct 8 - Natick Senior High School

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 2, 1976

at 7:00 o'clock A.M., at which time in all Precincts of said Town of Natick, the polls will be opened and will remain open continuously until 8:00 P.M. of said day, when they will be closed, during which time the aforesaid qualified inhabitants of said Town may bring in their votes to the Election Officers duly appointed and sworn for said Precincts for said Town of Natick in said meeting so assembled for the following offices:

STATE ELECTION (Continued)

PRESIDENT and VICE PRESIDENT

SENATOR in CONGRESS

CONGRESSMAN

COUNCILLOR

SENATOR IN GENERAL COURT

TWO REPRESENTATIVES in GENERAL COURT

Tenth District

Second District

First Middlesex & Norfolk District

One for 54th Mdlsex, Representative
District (Precincts 1,2,4,7,8)

One for 55th Mdlsex, Representative
District (Precincts 3,5,6)

CLERK of COURTS

Middlesex County

REGISTER of DEEDS

Middlesex Southern District

COUNTY COMMISSIONER (2)

Middlesex County

ALSO TO VOTE "YES" or "NO" in ANSWER TO THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS:

QUESTION No. 1

PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION

Do you approve of the adoption of an amendment to the Constitution summarized below, which was approved by the General Court in joint sessions of the House of Representatives and Senate on August 15, 1973, by a vote of 261-0; and on May 14, 1975, by a vote of 217-55?

QUESTION No. 2

PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION

Do you approve of the adoption of an amendment to the Constitution summarized below, which was approved by the General Court in joint sessions of the House of Representatives and Senate on August 15, 1973, by a vote of 199-66, and on May 7, 1975, by a vote of 228-41?

QUESTION No. 3

PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION

Do you approve of the adoption of an amendment to the Constitution summarized below which was approved by the General Court in joint sessions of the House of Representatives and Senate on August 15, 1973 by a vote of 259-0, and on May 12, 1976, by a vote of 262-1?

QUESTION No. 4

LAW PROPOSED BY AN INITIATIVE PETITION

Do you approve of a law summarized below, which was disapproved by the House of Representatives on May 5, 1975, by a vote of 179-46, and on which no vote was taken by the Senate before May 7, 1975?

STATE ELECTION (Continued)

QUESTION No. 5
LAW PROPOSED BY INITIATIVE PETITION

Do you approve of a law summarized below, which was disapproved by the House of Representatives on May 3, 1976, by a vote of 197-35, and on which no vote was taken by the Senate before May 5, 1976?

QUESTION No. 6
LAW PROPOSED BY AN INITIATIVE PETITION

Do you approve of a law summarized below, which was disapproved by the House of Representatives on May 3, 1976, by a vote of 146-85, and on which no vote was taken by the Senate before May 5, 1976?

QUESTION No. 7
LAW PROPOSED BY AN INITIATIVE PETITION

Do you approve of a law summarized below, which was disapproved by the House of Representatives on May 3, 1976, by a vote of 182-49, and on which no vote was taken by the Senate before May 5, 1976?

QUESTION No. 8
THIS QUESTION IS NOT BINDING

The following is a non-binding advisory question: "Shall the General Court enact legislation authorizing the construction of an oil refinery and a deep water port, subject to the approval of those communities directly affected and any reservations that the General Court may prescribe?"

QUESTION No. 9
THIS QUESTION IS NOT BINDING

The following is a non-binding advisory question: "Shall retail stores including package liquor stores, so called, be allowed to open for business on Sunday?"

QUESTION No. 10

Shall licenses be granted in the Town of Natick for the sale therein of all alcoholic beverages by clubs and war veterans' organizations?

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting attested copies thereof in each of the Post Offices in said Natick, and at the following public places in said Natick to wit: Entrance to Selectmen's Rooms, West Central Street, Precinct 7; Natick Police Station, Precinct 1; Central Fire Station, Precinct 7; Town Clerk's Office, Precinct 4; Fire Station, South Natick, Precinct 2; Fire Station, West Natick, Precinct 3; Pole #53 at intersection of North Main and Bacon Streets, Precinct 4; Fire Station, East Natick and Lilja School, Oak Street, Precinct 5; Pole #114 North Main Street opposite Pine Street, Precinct 6; Pole #15 at

STATE ELECTION (Continued)

intersection of Everett and Cottage Streets, Little South, Precincts 1 and 2; Johnson School, South Main Street, Precinct 7; West School on Mill Street and pole at intersection of Speen and Mill Streets in Precinct 8.

Above locations being at least one public place in each Precinct in the Town of Natick, seven days at least before November 2, 1976; also by causing an attested copy of said Warrant to be published once in the newspaper called "The Natick Bulletin", said publication to be seven days at least before the day appointed for said meeting, said publication being October 20, 1976.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this Warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at or before the time appointed for holding said meeting.

Given under our hands this 18th day of October, A.D. 1976.

Daniel J. O'Leary

William H. White

Peter H. Garland

Erica E. Ball

SELECTMEN of NATICK

A TRUE COPY

ATTEST: William B. Rogers
CONSTABLE - TOWN OF NATICK

PROCEEDINGS

Natick, November 2, 1976

Meeting opened in all eight Precincts at 7:00 A.M. with the usual legal formalities.

TOTAL NUMBER OF BALLOTS CAST: 14,943

TOTAL VOTE BY PRECINCT:

<u>1</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
1943	1111	2482	2126	2234	2263	1626	1158	14,943

STATE ELECTION (Continued)

PRECINCT

<u>1</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
<u>ELECTORS of PRESIDENT and VICE PRESIDENT - Vote for ONE</u>								
ANDERSON and SHACKELFORD - American -								
0	5	6	7	5	5	8	8	44
CAMEJO and REID - Socialist Workers Party -								
2	5	6	2	3	6	4	6	34
CARTER and MONDALE - Democratic								
996	466	1162	1002	1035	1175	866	579	7281
FORD and DOLE - Republican -								
852	568	1221	1017	1106	1013	675	521	6973
LaROUCHE Jr. and EVANS - U.S. Labor -								
0	1	0	2	1	3	0	1	8
McCARTHY and STOUFFER - Independent -								
61	49	63	65	64	51	51	26	430
<u>SENATOR in CONGRESS - Vote for ONE</u>								
Edward M. Kennedy - Democratic -								
1278	632	1585	1336	1355	1525	1135	765	9611
Michael S. Robertson - Republican -								
565	425	803	707	788	636	446	342	4712
Carol Henderson Evans - Socialist Workers Party -								
20	14	15	16	16	24	17	11	133
H. Graham Lowry - U.S. Labor -								
11	5	14	8	10	12	14	3	77

STATE ELECTION (Continued)

PRECINCT

<u>1</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
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CONGRESSMAN - Tenth District - Vote for ONE

Margaret M. Heckler - Republican -

1388	836	1839	1562	1654	1638	1161	841	10,919
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COUNCILLOR - Second District - Vote for ONE

George F. Cronin, Jr. - Democratic -

975	542	1299	1031	1139	1154	813	605	7558
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SENATOR in GENERAL COURT - First Middlesex & Norfolk District - Vote for ONE

Edward L. Burke - Democratic -

1116	572	1432	1177	1233	1392	920	654	8496
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William B. Webb - Republican -

602	412	823	697	745	625	483	359	4746
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REPRESENTATIVE in GENERAL COURT - 54th Middlesex District - Vote for ONE

Walter T. Burke - Democratic -

1445	777		1616			1251	810	5899
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REPRESENTATIVE in GENERAL COURT - 55th Middlesex District - Vote for ONE

Louis R. Nickinello - Democratic -

	1728		1539	1668				4935
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CLERK of COURTS - Middlesex County - Vote for ONE

Edward J. Sullivan - Democratic -

999	480	1186	1063	1091	1017	855	595	7286
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Joan R. Needleman - Republican -

523	422	891	643	735	835	400	338	4787
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STATE ELECTION (Continued)

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<u>1</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
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REGISTER of DEEDS - Middlesex Southern District - Vote for ONE

John F. Zamparelli - Democratic -

914	442	1156	933	1003	1067	778	536	6829
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Lester W. Bowen - Republican -

554	413	770	702	744	669	450	344	4646
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COUNTY COMMISSIONER - Middlesex County - Vote for Not More Than TWO

S. Lester Ralph - Democratic -

849	473	1154	960	1047	1132	722	515	6852
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Carl J. Cincotta - Republican -

604	420	836	714	755	764	465	361	4919
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Michael E. McLaughlin - Democratic -

804	413	973	845	903	827	731	463	5959
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QUESTION No. 1

YES	1338	693	1503	1103	1264	1394	798	639	8732
NO	474	386	893	920	868	771	686	462	5460

QUESTION No. 2

YES	923	235	444	463	442	451	304	227	3489
NO	780	836	1941	1550	1690	1710	1152	879	10,538

QUESTION No. 3

YES	1156	527	1160	848	966	1029	554	478	6718
NO	642	547	1221	1150	1150	1109	875	618	7312

QUESTION No. 4

YES	411	153	276	205	245	295	161	122	1868
NO	1216	898	2058	1765	1827	1820	1279	959	11,822

STATE ELECTION (Continued)

PRECINCT

	<u>1</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
<u>QUESTION No. 5</u>									
YES	818	419	871	631	717	770	437	325	4988
NO	1040	656	1524	1417	1433	1352	1060	795	9277
<u>QUESTION No. 6</u>									
YES	603	583	1159	981	1086	975	610	483	6480
NO	1249	487	1256	1070	1080	1219	904	633	7898
<u>QUESTION No. 7</u>									
YES	256	264	533	439	483	503	312	250	3040
NO	1516	803	1866	1582	1660	1668	1168	865	11128
<u>QUESTION No. 8</u>									
YES	751	706	1607	1349	1352	1432	896	704	8797
NO	1039	343	767	642	751	685	555	387	5169
<u>QUESTION No. 9</u>									
YES	388	615	1307	1029	1136	1131	761	610	6977
NO	1418	449	1073	960	989	1004	698	482	7073
<u>QUESTION No. 10</u>									
YES	1046	800	1900	1426	1497	1441	1065	838	10,013
NO	770	251	481	546	605	684	400	252	3,989

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on November 2, 1976.

Edward W. Devereaux
TOWN CLERK

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ATTEST: Edward W. Devereaux
TOWN CLERK

LIST OF JURORS 1976-1977

Adams, Hiram W.	282 North Main St.	Engineer
Ahern, David C.	21 Elmwood Ave.	General Motors
Alexander, Bruce J.	43 Eliot St.	Research Biologist
Alexander, Edward H.	66 Hartford St.	Printer
Anderson, Anders T.	88 Walnut St.	Supervisor
Appleton, Betty R.	10 Brookdale Rd.	Self-employed
Arbuckle, John W.	42 Bacon St.	Treasurer
Atkinson, Richard I.	9 Stetson Rd.	Sales Manager
Aube, Arthur D.	38 Stratford Rd.	Engineer
Augustine, Matthew	101 Speen St.	Administrator
Bagley, Helen T.	20 Union St.	Housewife
Bagley, Robert S.	43 Beverly Rd.	Engineer
Baker, David L.	167 South Main St.	City Planner
Baldwin, Chester	19 Florence St.	Asst. Distributor
Ball, Jay H.	11 Russell Circle	Engineer
Bamerick, Jr., William H.	180 Hartford St.	Draftsman
Barbour, Donald F.	9 Eisenhower Ave.	Ins. Claims Examiner
Barr, Laurence S.	71A West Central St.	Manager
Bartzak, Priscilla T.	17 Hampton Rd.	Executive Secretary
Beal, Richard A.	215 East Central St.	Sales Manager
Bean, Jr., Donald K.	10 Tamarack Rd.	Foreman
Beaudette, Gladys A.	113 North Main St.	Secretary
Becker, Diana	19 Strawberry Hill Rd.	Manufacturer's Rep.
Bergen, William P.	15 Border Rd.	Radiographer
Berger, Melvin A.	9 Bay State Rd.	Engineer
Berger, Rose	2 Wedgewood Rd.	Advertising Sales
Bergner, Dorothy R.	4 Ranger Rd.	Insurance Secretary
Berke, Sumner	7 Russell Circle	Executive
Beth, Harvey J.	5 Pamela Rd.	Treasurer
Biggart, Helene H.	22 Brook St.	Librarian
Bilodeau, Frederick J.	8 Concord Place	Foreman
Blaisdell, Arthur A.	24 Vernon Rd.	Supervisor
Bloom, Herbert	32 Wethersfield Rd.	Manager
Boncer, Elizabeth G.	8 Foley Drive	Machine Operator
Borts, Robert B.	3 Peterson Rd.	Engineer
Braswell, William E.	15 Ferndale Rd.	Accountant
Bravo, Carlo J.	10 Woodland St.	N. E. Telephone
Bregoli, Severino J.	42 Glenwood St.	General Motors
Breton, Cathleen H.	7 Circular Ave.	Secretary
Brewer, John K.	24 Ferndale Rd.	Sales Manager
Bridge, Kendall G.	39 Pond St.	Bank Examiner
Browne, Grayce T.	47 Oakland St.	Retired
Bulkeley, Nancy L.	10 Walkup Court	Key Punch Operator
Burke, John D.	4 Auburn St.	Office Manager
Burwell, Richard A.	38 Farwell St.	Programmer
Butterfield, Esther D.	170 Boden Lane	Housewife
Byrnes, Esther T.	25 Lakeview Ave.	Accountant

Cameron, Bruce	4 Prospect St.	Manager
Campbell, June E.	17 Dover Rd.	Housewife
Caplan, Frank E.	35 Travis Rd.	Electrical Engineer
Carey, Harold V.	175 Union St.	Sales Manager
Carhart, Lloyd D.	37 Indian Ridge Rd.	Engineer
Carlson, Donald P.	8 Fern St.	Electronics Technician
Carr, Helen L.	9 Kinsman Place	Store Clerk
Carroll, Jr., Davis J.	10 Avon St.	Artist
Carter, Neil C.	10 Western Ave.	Engineer
Casey, Mary V.	42 Oak Knoll Rd.	I.B.M. Operator
Cavanaugh, William J.	3 Merifield Lane	Consultant
Cella, Louis V.	8 Garden Rd.	Welder
Chapin, John W.	15 Shattuck St.	Engineer
Chappelle, Laurence D.	4 Ferndale Rd.	Controller
Cheever, Kenneth L.	9 Westview Ave.	Biologist
Cheverie, Warren G.	37 Pitts St.	Stock Broker
Child, John W.	30 Stacey St.	Engineer
Chisholm, Robert G.	38 Glen St.	Chemist
Christensen, Helmar J.	40 Bacon St.	Engineer
Clay, C. Delight	26 MacArthur Rd.	Housewife
Clymer, Mary E.	312 Eliot St.	Housewife
Cohen, Henry	42 Harwood Rd.	C.P.A.
Collari, Phyllis J.	27 Marion St.	Cashier
Collier, Sumner F.	30 Irving Place	Fabric Buyer
Conlin, Irene A.	23 Fiske St.	Clerk
Condon, Jr., David L.	30 Forest Ave.	Supervisor
Conner, Lawrence H.	16 Ash St.	Equipment Operator
Cook, Donald W.	5 Fern St.	Foreman
Cook, Walter J.	125 Pond St.	Office Work
Coplan, Myron J.	47 Speen St.	Engineer
Coughlin, Tafta	16 Church St.	Analyst
Cowdery, Jean S.	8 Lincoln St.	Housewife
Crawford, Donald F.	35 Speen St.	Supervisor
Crestuk, Joseph M.	12 Point St.	Receiver Manager
Crockford, Dana P.	12 Keane Rd.	Salesman
Croft, William J.	25 Harwood Rd.	Chemist
Cullen, Richard J.	55 Park Avenue	Advertising
Cunningham, Jr., Orval	3 Archer Drive	Salary Administrator
Curry, Sharon L.	24 Chestnut St.	Store Manager
Daggett, Mildred A.	25 Pond St.	Adjustment Clerk
Dalzell, Warner G.	4 Halsey Way	Engineer
Daniels, Harold V.	6 Archer Drive	Retired
Darby, Stella A.M.	5 Foscett Court	Clerk
Davidson, John A.	35 Lincoln St.	Manager
Davis, Margaret P.	2 Rockridge Rd.	Retired
DeFelice, Anita M.	3 Front St.	Clerk
DeFiore, John	6 Circular Ave.	Musician
Delmonte, Albert C.	15 Beacon St.	Manager
Demusis, Patricia H.	14 Lincoln St.	Secretary
Denny, Alecia F.	18 Avon St.	Retired
Devine, David P.	4 Reymolds Ave.	Division Manager
Diamond, David D.	31 East Evergreen Rd.	Manager

Dill, W. Edward	25 Barnesdale Rd.	Mechanical Engineer
Dimitri, Katherine L.	137 East Central St.	Secretary
Dininio, Albert G.	13 Crescent St.	Self-employed
Donovan, James J.	33 Birch Rd.	Engineer
Donovan, Joseph J.	13 Nottingham Drive	Retired
Donovan, Winifred M.	13 Nottingham Drive	Telephone
Downey, Joseph E.	91 West Central St.	Computer Programmer
Dreher, Herbert A.	197 Pond St.	Manager
Drew, Leonard M.	4 Hampton Rd.	Manager
Driscoll, Helen A.	19 Oak Knoll Rd.	Office Worker
Driscoll, Martha D.	152 East Central St.	Secretary
Driscoll, Vincent	17 Bay State Rd.	Electrical Engineer
Dubovsky, Ladislaus	4 Pearl St.	Maintenance
Duffy, Linda M.	8 Ambler Court	Record Technician
Dunbar, Edison	44 Pond St.	Production Manager
Durkin, John J.	7 Franconia Ave.	Chemist
Duval, Lee B.	7 Mathew Court	Machine Operator
Eckert, George P.	25 River Bend Drive	Engineer
Eisenmenger, Carolyn S.	92 Woodland St.	Housewife
Fallon, James K.	103 Glen St.	Telephone Installer
Fannon, Rudolph P.	4 Princeton Rd.	Industrial Engineer
Farnsworth, Norman L.	18 Farwell St.	Directory Manager
Farrell, Delores M.	66 Bennett St.	Dennison
Fay, Warren G.	13 Russell Circle	Purchasing Agent
Fegan, William R.	193 Pond St.	Supervisor
Felder, Evelyn	24 Middle St.	Office Coordinator
Feldman, Franklin P.	13 Emerson St.	Accountant
Fenzel, Frederick A.	28 Morningside Ave.	Electrical Engineer
Ferrari, David J.	7 Sassamon Rd.	C.P.A.
Fisher, Louis J.	22 Middle St.	Electrician
Fitzgerald, Daniel	27 High St.	Adjuster
Fleming, Ethel R.	46 Westlake Rd.	Bookkeeper
Flynn, George F.	1 Alden St.	Accountant
Fontes, Joseph	217 Hartford St.	Engineer
Forstot, Ruth D.	33 Beverly Rd.	Secretary
Forsyth, Sandra M.	13 Home Ave.	Accounting Clerk
Forsythe, George D.	11 Archer Drive	Public Affairs
Forte, Jr., Frank	11 High Street	Consultant
Fortier, George H.	5 West St.	Inspector
Foster, Joseph O.E.	9 Avon St.	Hairdresser
Franceschi, Renzo	22 Indian Rock Rd.	Engineer
Franchetto, George V.	36 Pilgrim Rd.	Electronics
Fraser, Howard M.	30 Waban St.	Manager
Freniere, John J.	160 Cottage St.	Electronics Engineer
Frickart, Priscilla A.	71 Everett St.	Retired
Fulton, Katherine H.	16 River Bend Drive	Housewife
Funk, Jean F.	33 North Main St.	Computer Programmer
Gagne, Roger A.	33 Belmore Rd.	Mechanical Engineer
Ganusko, Mitchell J.	5 Bellevue Rd.	Sprayer
Garnick, Philip	164 Boden Lane	Distributor

Garry, Lawrence V.
 Gassett, Jr., Harold E.
 Gath, William F.
 Gaudet, Edgar J.
 Gayton, Robert F.
 Geier, Leonard W.
 George, James F.
 Gerby, Eugene H.
 Giargiari, Robert C.
 Gilbert, Rachel
 Gilday, Doris K.
 Gilfillan, Robert W.
 Gillen, Frances
 Giller, Jacob B.
 Gilleran, Mary F.
 Glynn, Francis X.
 Goldberg, Doris B.
 Goldberg, Inez P.
 Goodwin, Sr., Robert A.
 Gorman, Jr., Francis A.
 Gorman, John P.
 Gray, Ronald J.
 Gray, Winifred E.
 Green, Mitchell V.
 Greim, Robert E.
 Griffin, Charles W.
 Grimley, Maurice
 Grinstead, Marie A.
 Guerin, Christopher J.
 Gunner, Anita H.

Hall, Robert F.
 Hallett, Dorothy E.
 Hamilton, Ralph P.
 Hamilton, Robert C.
 Hamm, Barbara A.
 Hardy, Paul H.
 Harris, Jackson I.
 Harrison, James E.
 Harvie, James B.
 Hauck, Gerd P.
 Hayes, Warren E.
 Heaney, Richard V.
 Hicks, Herbert M.
 Higgins, Brian Francis
 Hill, Michael L.
 Hlasney, Louise M.
 Hochberg, Michael
 Hoffstein, Eli
 Holz, John B.
 Holzman, Lewis H.
 Hopkins, Richard J.
 Horan, Rita A.
 Humez, Roberta B.
 Humphrey, Edward B.

21 Border Rd.
 14 Lookout Ave.
 10 Beverly Rd.
 24 Fern St.
 33 Robinhood Rd.
 51 Felch Rd.
 11 Digren Rd.
 32 Oak St.
 32 Park Ave.
 7 Clover Lane
 95 Eliot St.
 21 Chestnut St.
 22 Laconia Rd.
 19 Brookdale Rd.
 7 Euclid Circle
 25 Sylvester Rd.
 6 Bradford Rd.
 24 Jefferson St.
 50 Beacon St.
 6 Halsey Way
 109 Speen St.
 19 High St.
 105 Pleasant St.
 9 Spruce Lane
 83 Woodland St.
 7 Green St.
 11 Lena Rd.
 53 Mill St.
 4 Forest Ave.
 44 Highland St.

11 Hovey Ave.
 8 Euclid Ave.
 32 Wellesley Ave.
 271 Eliot St.
 186 Mill St.
 55 Wethersfield Rd.
 8 Purington Ave.
 22 Ferndale Rd.
 18 Sylvester Rd.
 88 Eliot St.
 5 Felch Rd.
 17 Circular Ave.
 20 Reynolds Ave.
 3 Lincoln Place
 78 Summer St.
 25 Circular Ave.
 16 Appleton Rd.
 23 River Bend Drive
 8 Columbia Ave.
 3 Arlington Rd.
 2 Grove St.
 69 Summer St.
 7 Eisenhower Ave.
 4 Aqueduct Rd.

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 Machinist
 Mechanic
 Manager
 Manager
 Engineer
 Analyst
 Engineer
 Bacteriologist
 Coordinator
 Clerk

Electrician
 Housewife
 Surveyor
 Sales Manager
 Electronics Assembler
 Advertising Salesman
 Inspector
 Retired
 Taxi Driver
 Housewife
 Senior Cost Clerk
 Foreman
 Machinist
 Corporation President
 Computer Operator
 Clerk
 Manager
 Pharmacist
 Engineering Manager
 Analyst
 Machinist
 File Clerk
 Musician
 Engineer

Ingham, Jr., George D.	115 South Main St.	Inspector
Interrante, Charles E.	28 Western Ave.	Electrical Technician
Ippolito, Joseph	818 Lakeview Gardens	Retired
Jefferson, Barry B.	2 Larkspur Way	Actuarial Assistant
Joachim, Stephen	34 Russell Circle	Accountant
Johnston, Joan C.	59 North Main St.	Housewife
Jones, Roberta M.	75 High St. Ext.	Clerk
Jordan, Barbara L.	409 Lakeview Gardens	Administrator
Kagan, Sholly	Indian Rock Drive	Consultant
Kaktins, Egils	54 Marion St.	Administrator
Kaplan, Joseph	32 East Evergreen Rd.	Clerk
Kaplan, S. Lawrence	15 Elwin Rd.	Programmer
Katz, Lillian R.	4 Gibson Rd.	Bookkeeper
Keefe, Joseph T.	65 Everett St.	Edison Company
Kehoe, Robert A.	41 Oak Knoll Rd.	Retired
Kelley, Irene F.	3 Herbert Rd.	Secretary
Kennedy, Edward F.	77 West Central St.	Credit Manager
Keohane, Daniel H.	55 MacArthur Rd.	Staff Analyst
King, Francis A.	25 West Central St.	Sales
Knopf, Henry J.	4 Wedgewood Rd.	Foreman
Kobbs, Peter	14 Church St.	Computer Operator
Kopelman, Joseph	7 Overhill Rd.	Sales Agent
Koure, Robert C.	66 Cottage St.	Regional Manager
Kovar, Cecilia M.	104 Union St.	Housewife
Kozlowski, Frank J.	21 Lake St.	Laboratory Technician
Kral, Margaret G.	162 Boden Lane	Chief Operator
Kuhn, Leonard P.	10 Fiske Lane	Computer Programmer
Kwast, Donald	87 Kendall Lane	Tool and Die Maker
Landry, Jerome R.	122 Bacon St.	Education Assn. Exec.
Langmead, Edwin W.	32 Walcott St.	Machinist
Laquidara, Paul P.	2 Olivier St.	Draft Superintendent
Larracey, Mary A.	32 Circular Ave.	Housewife
Leighton, Ruth E.	86 Speen St.	Housewife
Leon, Rita M.	7 Glenwood St.	Clerk
Leonard, Edward B.	15 Whittier Rd.	Office Manager
Lesser, Donald E.	25 Westlake Rd.	Manager
Levin, Morton H.	20 Pauline Dr.	Engineer
Levitt, Kenneth	12 Fiske St.	Programmer
Logowitz, Nancy B.	32 Bacon St.	EEG Technician
Long, Roger G.	3 Paul St.	Engineer
Luftman, Alvin S.	11 Deerfield Lane	Engineer
Lumbert, Dorothy	71 Bacon St.	Office Worker
Luttrell, Jean K.	11 Lakewood Rd.	Homemaker
Luttrell, Sr., John H.	8 Woodland St.	Public Relations
Lytle, Clyde W.	24 Oak Knoll Rd.	Engineer
MacQueen, Clifford E.	1 Prescott Ave.	Engineering Tech.
Mahaney, Chrls R.E.	57 Fairview Ave.	Engineering Aide
Maier, Jr., Francis P.	27 Fern St.	Airline Agent
Malcolm, Alexander A.	3 Retrop Rd.	Insurance

Malcouronne, Jean P.	72 Pleasant St.	Housewife
Malkin, Richard E.	20 Morningside Ave.	Systems Analyst
Malloy, Jr., Thomas J.	28 Winnemay St.	Engineer
Manhard, Heloise C.	27 Strawberry Hill Rd.	Housewife
Marks, Lawrence J.	13 Pamela Rd.	Financial Analyst
Mason, Roger W.	17 Sawin St.	Field Engineer
Mayer, Lois E.	22 Franconia Ave.	Housewife
McAdams, William A.	23 Wellesley Ave.	Electrician
McCole, Thomas P.	248 Eliot St.	Engineer
McCullough, Donald F.	125 East Central St.	N.E. Telephone
McDonald, Francis A.	6 Craft Rd.	Technician
McGrath, Joseph M.	17 Oakridge Ave.	Engineer
McInnis, Robert J.	5 Aqueduct Rd.	Biochemist
McIver, Donald J.	10 Highland St.	N.E. Telephone
McLaughlin, John J.	1 Edgewood Ave.	Electrical Engineer
McRobert, William E.	15 Deerfield Ln.	Electrical Engineer
McWeeney, Jr., Gerard A.	26 Pitts St.	Engineer
Mednicoff, Irma A.	41 Brookdale Rd.	Research Technician
Mei, Louise M.	4 Eliot St.	Telephone Operator
Melideo, Joseph G.	44 Beacon St.	Electronics Tech
Mersereau, Raymond E.	163 Boden Lane	Mechanic
Miller, Jr., Olin F.	40 Centre St.	Engineer
Mingace, Jr., Herbert F.	46 High St.	Technical Specialist
Morgan, Jr., Frederick W.	13 Pinewood Ave.	Carpenter
Morgan, William G.	6 Carlisle Ter.	Technician
Morganti, Salvatore	9 Fern St.	Retailer
Murphy, Louise K.	35 Beacon St.	Data Control
Murray, Thomas J.	29 Sylvester Rd.	Engineer
Myrick, William T.	4 Beaconsfield Dr.	Engineer
Nartowt, Joseph J.	38 Westlake Rd.	Chemist
Natarelli, Marsillio	26 Union St.	Machinist
Needels, Leonard W.	18 Stratford Rd.	Sales Engineer
Nelson, Harold B.	16 School St. Ext.	Electrical Engineer
Nesvet, Frank	9 Hampshire Dr.	Accountant
Nichol, Berry	20 Bacon St.	Purchasing
Nickinello, Jr., Anthony P.	60 Pine St.	Plumber
Nygaard, Walter A.	22 Barnesdale Rd.	Engineer
O'Hare, Caryn E.	5 Emerson Rd.	Bookkeeper
O'Leary, Joseph S.	88 Bacon St.	Draftsman
O'Neil, Linda K.	3 Larkspur Way	Actuarial Assistant
Orleans, Rita O.	65 Oakland St.	Administrator
Ostrofsky, Harry I.	15 Green St.	Accountant
O'Sullivan, Brendan C.	10 Wedgewood Rd.	Appraiser
O'Toole, Alice D.	12 Alger St.	Secretary
Oxman, Robert	23 Russell Cir.	Accountant
Palmer, Clara M.	66 Glen St.	Housewife
Palmer, David A.	6 Deerfield Ln.	Manager
Pansire, Michelle A.	47 Fiske St.	Housewife
Parris, Edwin C.	232 Bacon St.	Supply Clerk
Parry, Gordon F.	125 Hartford St.	Technician
Patton, Jr., William L.	44 Oakridge Ave.	Public Relations
Paul, Anne E.	21 Florence St.	Salesperson

Paul, Francis J.	78 Everett St.	Banker
Payton, Robert D.	13 Cypress Rd.	Engineer
Pellerin, Roland L.	8 Bolser Ave.	Expeditor
Perry, Norman J.	11 Pearl St.	Toolmaker
Perry, Roland H.	33 Hemlock Dr.	Industrial Photographer
Philbrick, Julian W.	17 Cypress Rd.	Engineer
Phillips, Alan	3 Richard Rd.	Electrician
Pierce, David W.	38 Woodland St.	Accountant
Pietrantonio, Rudolph D.	11 Maine Ave.	Engineer
Pilla, Jr., Enrico A.	14 Draper St.	Manager
Pineau, William J.	13 Perry Rd.	Foreman
Pogarian, Jack M.	37 Fiske St.	Sales Engineer
Polagruto, Francis P.	13 Green St.	Supervisor
Pollak, Arlene B.	26 Barnesdale Rd.	Advertising
Porrell, Douglas D.	7 Mohegan Trail	Purchasing Agent
Porter, Jr., Arthur N.	70 Washington St.	Operating Engineer
Press, Sylvia L.	25 Indian Ridge Rd.	Housewife
Prince, Edward L.	17 Brook St.	Group Leader
Read, Jr., R. Curtis	86 Woodland St.	Jeweler
Rhone, Geraldine W.	23 Emerson St.	Housewife
Richards, Mary Anne	65 High St. Ext.	Technologist
Richardson, Charles M.	79 South Main St.	Engineer
Rifchin, Robert M.	10 Cypress Rd.	Salesman
Riley, Eugene P.	17 Harwood Rd.	Director
Roche, Mary T.	10 Mohegan Trail	Secretary
Rockowitz, Murray	9 Dwight Ave.	Mathematician
Romano, Pietro	93 North Ave.	Machine Operator
Rooney, Gail L.	91 Union St.	Restaurant Manager
Rosales, Julius	10 Marshall Rd.	Manager
Rosebury, Michael K.	133 Bacon St.	Biologist
Rosenthal, Milton L.	12 Greenleaf Rd.	Engineer
SanBento, Bella	24 Moore St.	Packer
SanClemente, Joseph J.	65 East Central St.	Civil Engineer
Sanders, Irving	29 Brookdale Rd.	Photographer
Sandrew, Bruce	5 Yorkshire Dr.	General Manager
Santoro, Louis F.	16 Drury Ln.	General Sales Manager
Sarrasin, Ernest E.	22 Hammond Rd.	Programmer
Schatz, Steven R.	41 Ledge Ln.	Newscaster
Schavone, Beverly R.	166 Woodland St.	Clerical
Schellenberg, Peter J.	11 Glen St.	Manufacturer's Rep.
Scheufele, William F.	4 Glenwood St.	Manager
Schulkind, Herbert	33 Oak Knoll Rd.	Engineer
Schwehr, Augustus E.	11 Hampton Rd.	Cable Splicer
Seltzer, Harvey	37 Hardwick Rd.	Shoe Buyer
Serzans, Andris	28 Cabot St.	Banker
Sharkey, Marie B.	7 Atherton St.	Service Representative
Shedd, Jr., Edmund F.	7 Wilson St.	Engineer
Sheehan, Joseph R.	5 Morningside Ave.	Boston Globe
Simon, Esther E.	16 Fox Hill Dr.	Saleswoman
Smith, Jr., Lawrence W.	19 Wilson St.	Entomologist
Smith, William F.	17 Whittier Rd.	Refrigeration Maint.

Soares, Sylvester	12 Durant Rd.	AAM Operator
Stamos, Charles G.	7 Pauline Dr.	Controller
Stephenson, Edward R.	47 Water St.	Electrician
Stevens, Pande	15A Oakland St.	Displayman
Stifler, Francis J.	171 South Main St.	Electrical Engineer
Stockwell, Roy E.	12 Jefferson St.	Retired
Stranahan, Helen G.	103 Lakeview Gardens	Bookkeeper
Sussman, Linda C.	26 Ridge Ave.	Housewife
Taylor, Alvin C.	177 East Central St.	Compositor
Taylor, Janet C.	8 Archer Dr.	Executive
Terjenian, Leo	76 Park Ave.	Engineer
Thomas, Vera	17 Hudson St.	Dennison
Thompson, Jeanne A.	3 Hunters Ln.	Skating Instructor
Thurston, E. Paul	28 Oak Knoll Rd.	Production Manager
Tinsler, Francis R.	20 Edwards Rd.	Engineer
Towne, Philip W.	44 Connecticut Ave.	Salesman
Travaglini, Anthony	16 Washington Ave.	Assembler
Turk, Mary	66 Forest Ave. Ext.	Housewife
Uertz, Lawrence	4 Pleasant St.	Stockbroker
Untersee, Philip A.	1000 Winter St.	Consultant
Vahey, Mary M.	30 Grove Rd.	Insurance Adjuster
Valutkevich, John	17 Arlington Rd.	Engineer
Wachs, Norma-Rae	1 High St.	Housewife
Wadley, James W.	144 Oak St.	Electrician
Walsh, Avis I.	13 Curve St.	Receptionist
Ware, Ralph A.	1 Dartmouth St.	Insurance Agent
Wasserman, Seymour N.	5 Liberty St.	Engineer
Watkinson, John W.	8 Draper St.	Programmer
Watson, Willard F.	51 Fiske St.	Lineman
Weaving, Roger G.	24 Morningside Ave.	Controller
Weeks, Michael H.	35 Florence St.	Investigator
Weitzler, Irving M.	16 Mark St.	Engineer
Weller, Herbert	14 Bradford Rd.	Manufacturer
Wenmark, John A.	7 Park Ave.	Real Estate Broker
Wetzel, Elizabeth P.	9 Badger Ave.	Consultant
White, Thomas F.	61 Fairview Ave.	Assembler
Whitney, Robert F.	114 Pond St.	Banker
Whittaker, John P.	15 MacArthur Rd.	Systems Analyst
Whitten, Louville B.	7 Braemore Rd.	Claims Agent
Willard, Eleanor C.	34 Felch Rd.	Housewife
Willard, Ransom H.	34 Felch Rd.	Retired
Williams, John A.	5 Spooner Ave.	Corporation President
Wilson, William G.	9 Pinehurst Ave.	Retired
Winer, Joy M.	21 Mill St.	Personnel Administrator
Woodhouse, Robert W.	13 Hardwick Rd.	Insurance Analyst
Woodruff, Lester A.	28 Pitts St.	Newsman

Xenakis, Donna	5 Concord St.	Laboratory Technician
Yancey, Dorothy M.	42 Second St.	Housewife
Young, Jr., Merrill A.	10 Maple Ave.	Plant Manager
Young, Jr., Sidney H.	21 Belmore Rd.	Engineer
Yurkanin, Richard J.	320 Lakeview Gardens	Electrical Engineer
Zeeverino, Victor J.	209 East Central St.	Mechanical Engineer

LIST OF APPEALS — 1976

- 76-01 Richard B. Gassett, 34 Cottage Street, requested a variance from the setback requirements to erect a garage. Denied
- 76-02 Lawrence R. Pennett, 63R Wellesley Road Extension, requested a variance to convert this single-family-dwelling into a two-family-dwelling. Denied
- 76-03 James W. Clark & Kenneth G. Barber, 295-305 West Central Street, requested a variance and/or special permit for a family-roller-skating-rink. Denied
- 76-04 Romanow Enterprises, Inc., 144 Worcester Street, requested a variance and/or special permit, from the parking requirements, for a retail store. Granted
- 76-05 Orazio Cullotta, 61 Eliot Street, requested a special permit from the off-street parking and loading requirements. Granted
- 76-06 Francis W. Kadlik, 23 Walcott Street, requested a variance from setback requirements and area to construct a single-family dwelling. Denied
- 76-07 Laura Cournoyer & Edward DiFranco, 25 Pinehurst Avenue, requested a variance for a building lot. Denied
- 76-08 Edward R. Taddeo, 1 North Main Street, requested a special permit from the parking requirements. Granted
- 76-09 Fairway Estates Associates, 218 Speen Street, requested a comprehensive permit under Chapter 40B, Section 21, of the Mass. General Laws, to construct 304 multi-family units. Granted
- 76-10 Gerardo Festa, 11 Tibbetts Street, requested a variance to convert a two-family dwelling to a three-family dwelling. Appeals Pending
- 76-11 Silvano A. Melchiorri, 5 Mechanic Street, requested a modification of a special permit granted for an auto-body-shop. Denied
- 76-12 Robert Herman, 251 Oak Street, requested a variance from the sideyard requirement to erect a garage. Granted
- 76-13 Mary Tolland, 82 South Main Street, requested a variance to conduct a school of dancing on the premises, with off-street parking facilities as shown on the plan submitted. Denied
- Granted

- 76-14 Jacob & Ethel Raider, 6 Adams Street, requested a special permit from the parking requirements. Granted
- 76-15 Campanelli Investments, 4 Wethersfield Road, requested a special permit from the parking requirements. Withdrawn
- 76-16 Stefano Cucinotta, 141 East Central Street, requested a variance to convert a two-family dwelling into a three-family-dwelling. Denied
- 76-17 Nancy M. Hansen, 43 West Central Street, requested a variance to utilize this property located in a residential zone for a professional office. Denied
- 76-18 Edward Amabile, 330 Speen Street, requested a variance to construct a salesroom for motor vehicles in an Industrial II zone. Denied
- 76-19 George D. Elson, Jr., 82 Park Avenue, requested a variance to construct an addition to be utilized as a separate dwelling unit. Denied
- 76-20 Peter J. Schellenberg, 5 Washington Street, requested a special permit for a waiver from the parking requirements. Granted
- 76-21 Michael Cail, 179 West Central Street, requested a special permit to erect a standing sign. Granted
- 76-22 Coan Inc., 194 West Central Street, requested special permits to construct a new self-service-gas station. Granted
- 76-23 Peter Fabiano, 13 Cochituate Street, requested a special permit for the extension of the existing repair garage and auto-body shop, with setbacks as shown on the plan submitted and parking. Granted
- 76-24 Leonard J. Epstein, 10 Barnesdale Road, requested a variance from the sideyard requirement to erect an addition. Granted
- 76-25 Helen F. & Joseph P. Sheridan, 18 Oxford Street, requested a variance from the sideyard requirement to erect a screened-in-porch. Granted
- 76-26 Berish Realty Trust, 265 Worcester Street, requested a special permit to erect an additional standing sign. Denied
- 76-27 Dante C. Marinelli, 137 West Central Street, Denied

requested a special permit to modify a plan previously approved for a special permit, for a service station in conjunction with the car-wash.

- 76-28 Natick Nursing Home, 28 Lincoln Street, requested a special permit for the expansion of the existing nursing home, and from the parking requirements. Granted
- 76-29 Gordon E. Gray, 43 Franconia Avenue, requested a variance from the sideyard requirement to erect an addition. Appeal Pending
- 76-30 George J. Rees, 19 Manor Avenue, requested a variance from the frontyard setback to erect a front enclosure and bay-window. Granted
- 76-31 Joseph T. & Carol Kiley, III, 62 Washington Avenue, requested a variance from the sideyard requirement to erect an addition. Granted
- 76-32 John & Liberty Bouris, 82 Speen Street, requested a special permit from the parking requirements for an ice-cream store. Granted
- 76-33 Theodore E. Mason, 21 River Street, requested a variance from the frontyard setback to erect an addition. Withdrawn
- 76-34 Donna L. & John E. Bogan, 20 Pearl Street, requested a variance from the sideyard requirement to erect an addition. Granted
- 76-35 Charles W. & Carolyn M. Jack, Jr., 16 Robinhood Rd. requested a variance from the rearyard setback to erect a porch. Granted
- 76-36 Herbert S. Mingace, 46 High Street, requested a variance to convert a single-family-dwelling into a two-family-dwelling. Granted
- 76-37 Sidney Gersh, 125-127 West Central Street, requested a modification of a decision of the Board filed on August 7, 1975, for the sale of additional food items. Pending
- 76-38 Leonard Foreman Inc., r33 & r35 Hardwick Road, requested modification of a condition of a special permit issued to the Marketplace Associates. Denied
- 76-39 Paul E. Livoli & Paul E. Collins, 250 Oak Street, Granted

- requested a variance from the frontage requirement to erect a single-family-dwelling. Granted
- 76-40 John R. Hardy & Gerald J. Ruberti, 330 Speen Street requested a special permit to erect a sign. Withdrawn
- 76-41 Frank J. Mapp, 12 Jennings Pond Road, requested a variance from the requirement of area, frontage and depth to erect a single-family-dwelling. Pending
- 76-42 Frank J. Mapp, 14 Jennings Pond Road, requested a variance from the requirement of area, frontage, depth and sideyard setback for an existing house. Pending
- 76-43 William & Charles Nolan, 330 Speen Street, requested a variance and/or special permit to use a portion of a structure to be erected as a single-family-residence for a watchman and his family. Withdrawn
- 76-44 Roger A. Gagne, 33 Belmore Road, requested a variance from the frontyard setback to erect an addition. Granted
- 76-45 Natick Conservation Commission & Recreation Commission, off Lake Street, requested a special permit to erect two standing signs, in excess of the dimensional and setback requirements. Denied
- 76-46 Donald H. Wallace, 124 East Central Street, requested a variance from the sideyard requirement and an extension of a special permit to construct an addition to the existing body-shop and an exception from the parking requirements. Denied
- 76-47 Ruth A. & John S. Lewis, 196 Glen Street, requested a special permit to keep and maintain goats and chickens on the premises. Granted
- 76-48 Mary P. Tolland, 82 South Main Street, requested a special permit and/or variance to erect an addition to the structure to be used in conjunction with the existing dancing school and from the parking requirements. Pending
- 76-49 Bostonia Beverages, Inc., 14 Mill Street, requested a variance and/or special permit for the erection of an addition for storage purposes. Denied
- 76-50 Charles & William Nolan, 330 Speen Street, requested special permits and variances for the construction of warehouses, with a residence for a watchman and his family attached thereto, and for the approval

- of the parking and landscaping plan submitted. Granted
- 76-51 Frank E. James, 5 Kelsey Road, requested a variance from the frontyard setback requirement to install a bay-window. Granted
- 76-52 Craig A. Young, 125 & 97 Eliot Street, requested a special permit to keep sheeps, goats, horses and hens on the property. Withdrawn
- 76-53 Elmar Realty Trust, 172 Worcester Street, requested a variance and/or special permit to erect an addition to be used for the reconditioning of cars on a lot zoned for commercial and residential use, and a variance from the setback requirement and approval of the parking plan as submitted. Granted
- 76-54 Antonio Gentile, 2 Grove Street, requested a variance and/or special permit to operate a beauty salon in conjunction with the residence. Denied
- 76-55 Joseph L. Serabia, 234 Oak Street, requested a variance from the requirement of setback from a street, to erect a garage. Pending
- 76-56 Edward J. & Marcia Matten, 12 Longfellow Road, requested a variance from the requirement of frontyard setback and the distance between house and garage, for the purpose of erecting a garage. Denied
- 76-57 Natick Flick 1-2-3, 1316-1330 Worcester Street, requested a special permit for the erection of a sign. Granted
- 76-58 Daniel Desposito, 222 North Main Street, requested a variance from the sideyard requirement to erect an addition and a special permit for approval of the parking arrangement. Granted
- 76-59 Mary Tolland, 82 south Main Street, requested a special permit to erect a sign on this building. Denied
- 76-60 Roger L. Grinstead, 53 Mill Street, requested a special permit and/or variance to conduct a custom-made curtain and drapery studio, with antiques and picture framing in conjunction with the residence, and a special permit from the parking requirements. Pending
- 76-61 Berish Realty Trust, 265 Worcester Street, requested a special permit to erect one-family type standing sign deficient in setback requirement and 15 feet in height. Pending

- 76-62 Sally Hurwitz, 324-326 West Central Street, requested a variance from the sideyard requirement and a special permit to erect an addition to the existing warehouse, and for approval of the parking as shown on the plan submitted. Pending
- 76-63 Bostonia Beverage, Inc., 14 & 24 Mill Street, requested a variance and/or special permit for the erection of an addition to the present building for storage and warehousing and for approval of the parking plan submitted. Pending

Cases Pending in 1975

- 75-68 Egons Biskaps, 52 North Main Street, requested a variance to construct a wooden fire escape in the Central Fire District. Denied
- 75-79 George & Marie Funari, 5 Kansas Street, requested a variance for a multi-family residence containing 6 apartments. Granted
- 75-81 Elmar Realty Trust, 172 Worcester Street, requested a special permit and/or variance, for the installation of gasoline pumps and kiosk and use of the premises for the sale of gasoline in conjunction with the existing car-wash. Granted
- 75-85 Whalen Lane Trust, 63 south Main Street, requested a special permit and/or variance to waive the off-street loading and parking requirements. Granted
- 75-89 James J. Crowley, 89 North Avenue, requested a variance and/or exception to use this building for offices and from the off-street parking and loading requirements. Granted
- 75-90 Marketplace Associates, r33 & r35 Hardwick Road, and off 1466 Worcester Street, requested a variance and/or special permit, and/or exception for approval of a parking plan as submitted and a special permit for earth removal if such is needed. Granted

CONTRIBUTORY RETIREMENT SYSTEM

Ledger Assets December 31, 1975 \$ 3,464,518.25

INCOME

Contributions from Members:

Group I	\$ 190,229.36	
Group II	1,511.19	
Group IV	<u>108,706.78</u>	\$ 300,447.33

From Town Appropriations:

Pension Fund	\$ 611,250.00	
Expense Fund	<u>28,198.00</u>	\$ 639,448.00

From Other Sources:

Pension Fund (Various Reimbursements) \$	22,593.30	\$ 22,593.30
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Interest Income:

Bonds:

U.S. Government	\$ 900.00	
Miscellaneous	58,808.48	
Capital Notes	1,717.13	
Industrial	11,571.25	
Telephone	37,468.97	
Public Service	<u>83,484.57</u>	

Dividends on Stocks:

Common: Bank Stocks	20,627.53	
Interest on Accounts in Savings Banks	1,284.11	
Interest on Long-Term Certificates	<u>5,300.83</u>	\$ 221,162.87

Net Increase Market Value Stocks	<u>51,140.25</u>	\$ <u>1,234,791.75</u>
		\$ 4,699,310.00

DISBURSEMENTS

Annuity Payments	\$ 46,991.02	
Pension Payments	568,039.38	
Refunds and Transfers	92,549.35	
Miscellaneous Disbursements	<u>43.78</u>	

Administrative Expenses:

Salaries: Executive Secretary	\$ 13,455.40	
Ex officio Member	633.34	
Treasurer	659.15	
Part-time Assistant	929.25	
Office Supplies & Maintenance	1,400.90	
Medical Panels	1,068.00	
Investment Counsel	2,428.52	
Conventions, Meetings & Travel	580.81	
Bookkeeping Machine Expense	2,816.84	
Legal Expense	525.00	
All Other	<u>1,109.50</u>	\$ 25,606.71

Loss on Sale of Securities	\$ <u>10,642.59</u>	\$ <u>743,872.83</u>
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Balance December 31, 1976		\$ 3,955,437.17
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MEMBERS OF BOARD OF RETIREMENT:

JOHN F. SULLIVAN, CHAIRMAN

ROBERT J. DREW, SECRETARY

JOHN B. JENNINGS, JR., EX OFFICIO

TREASURER: DONALD F. ATHERTON, TOWN TREASURER

DIRECTOR: MARIE A. PESSINI

BOARD OF ASSESSORS

TAX RATE RECAPITULATION

FISCAL 1977

OF

Town of Natick
City or Town

I. TAX RATE SUMMARY

1. Gross Amount to be Raised (from Part VI)	\$ <u>24,293,745.28</u>
2. Estimated Receipts and Available Funds (from Part VII, Line 6)	<u>7,492,141.55</u>
3. Net Amount to be Raised by Taxation (subtract Line 2 from Line 1)	<u>16,801,603.73</u>
4. Real Property Valuations	<u>187,401,470</u>
5. Personal Property Valuations	<u>7,965,900</u>
6. Total Property Valuations (add Line 4 and Line 5) ...	<u>195,367,370</u>
7. Tax Rate (divide Line 3 by Line 6, multiply by 1000)	<u>86.00</u>
8. Real Property Tax (multiply Line 4 by Line 7)	<u>16,116,536.33</u>
9. Personal Property Tax (multiply Line 5 by Line 7)	<u>685,067.40</u>
10. Total Taxes Levied on Property (add Line 8 and Line 9)	\$ <u><u>16,801,603.73</u></u>

LOCAL EXPENDITURES

A. APPROPRIATIONS (Enter total of Col. (b), (c), (d) and (e) from Schedule B). \$ 21,840,348.36

B. SPECIAL EDUCATION, 1972, Ch. 766. (Enter amt. from Form C.S. 1-ER, Part B, Line 2) _____
(A letter from Superintendent(s) of schools must accompany this Recapitulation as to appropriations of special education monies for programs under Ch. 766 of Acts of 1972.)

C. OTHER LOCAL EXPENDITURES

1. Amount certified by Treasurer for tax title foreclosure	\$ _____
2. Debt and interest charges matured and maturing not included in Schedule B	_____
3. Amount necessary to satisfy final court judgments.	_____
4. Total overlay deficits of prior years (Attach detailed schedule)	_____
5. Total offsets (Enter from Form C.S. 1-ER, total of Lines 21 through 27)	<u>135,752.44</u>
6. Revenues deficits Police Dept. Salaries .. Court. Judgement.	<u>233,864.67</u>
7. Any other amounts required to be raised:	
8. <u>Board of Retirement</u> Ch. 32 S.22	<u>4,817.00</u>
9. <u>Tax Collector - Tax Title</u> Ch. 60 S.50B	<u>2,000.00</u>
Total of A, B and C	\$ <u><u>22,216,782.47</u></u>

STATE ASSESSMENTS

	(a) Assessments	(b) Under Assessments
1. Total county tax and state assessments, enter from Form C.S. 1-EC, total of Columns 1 and 2	\$1,538,640.59	17,364.01
2. County tax, enter from Form C.S. 1-EC, Columns 1 and 2, Line 1	651,753.19	9,438.56
3. County hospital assessment, enter from Form C.S. 1-EC, Columns 1 and 2, Line 2	7,821.04	
4. Subtract Totals of Lines 2 and 3 above from Line 1 above	879,066.36	7,925.45
5. Add amounts under (a) and (b) in 4 above		886,991.81
COUNTY ASSESSMENTS (Enter Aggregates of Columns (a) and (b) from Part III, Lines 2 and 3)		669,012.79
OVERLAY		520,958.21
GROSS AMOUNT TO BE RAISED (Total of Parts II through V, Enter in Part 1, Line 1)		24,293,745.28

ESTIMATED RECEIPTS AND AVAILABLE FUNDS

1. Total estimated receipts from state, enter amount from Form C.S. 1-ER, Part H	3,398,201.77	
2. Prior years overestimates state and county, enter from Form C.S. 1-EC, total of Column 3	23,290.24	
3. Local estimated receipts, enter total from Schedule A, Line 30, Column (b)	2,004,780.00	
4. Available funds, enter total of Schedule B, Columns (c), (d), and (e)	2,065,869.54	
5. Available funds to reduce the tax rate, enter total of Schedule B, Column (f)		
6. Total of Lines 1 through 5 (Enter in Part 1, Line 2)		\$7,492,141.55

SCHEDULE A. RECEIPTS

	(a) ACTUAL RECEIPTS	(b) ESTIMATED RECEIPTS
1. Motor vehicle and trailer excise	\$1,358,567.45	\$1,358,560.00
2. Licenses	46,217.57	46,210.00
3. Fines	16,071.53	16,070.00
4. Special assessments	176,796.11	176,790.00
5. General government	18,043.32	18,040.00
6. Protection of persons and property	9,978.59	9,970.00
7. Health and sanitation	48,109.20	48,100.00
8. Highways	175.00	170.00
9. Veterans' benefits		
0. School (local receipts of school committee)	51,805.97	51,800.00
1. XXXXXX. Court. Rent	8,462.00	8,460.00
2. XXXXXX. Veterans Discharge of Liens	2,864.10	2,860.00
3. Cemeteries		
4. Recreation	47,522.95	47,520.00
5. Classified forest land (including forest products tax)		
6. Farm animal and machinery excise	90.03	90.00
7. Interest on Taxes & Assessments	33,965.21	33,960.00
8. Public service enterprises (i.e. water department)		
9. In lieu tax payments		
0. Trailer park fees		
1. Invest on Cash Invest	97,499.16	97,490.00
2. July 4	3,851.02	3,850.00
3. Town Dept's	1,045.37	1,040.00
4. EGR Dividend	259.33	250.00
5. Extra Duty Service Chg.	679.00	670.00
6. Group Insurance Trust Fund	75,052.50	75,050.00
7. Council on Aging	2,162.67	2,160.00
8. Int. & Costs Tax Title Redemptions	5,527.68	5,520.00
9. Gas Tax Refund	155.85	150.00
1. Total of Actual Receipts and Estimated Receipts	\$2,004,901.61	\$2,004,780.00

SCHEDULE B. TOTAL APPROPRIATIONS TO BE RAISED - CERTIFICATION OF APPROPRIATIONS

(City Council Meeting Dates)	(a) Total Appropriation Of Each Meeting	(b) From Tax Levy	(c) From Free Cash	(d) From Other Available Funds	(e) From Revenue Sharing	(f) From Available Funds To Reduce Tax Rate (Specify)	(g) Borrowing
976 3/23	\$3,496,630.00	\$2,986,189.00	\$	\$17,441.00	\$493,000.00	\$	\$
3/25	16,392,785.00	14,908,060.33	800,00.00	684,724.67			
3/30	82,923.33	77,638.77		5,284.56			
4/1	117,000.00	51,580.69		65,419.31			
4/6	64,099.00	64,099.00					
4/13	889,078.00	889,078.00					
5/11	107,601.03	107,601.03					
5/22	690,232.00	690,232.00					
TOTALS	\$21,840,348.36	\$19,774,478.82	800,000.00	\$772,869.54	493,000.00	\$	\$

NET AMOUNT TO BE RAISED BY TAXATION (From Part I, Line 3)

\$ 16,801,603.73

ITEMS NOT ENTERING INTO THE DETERMINATION OF THE TAX RATE

1. Betterments, Special Assessments and Water Liens

Added to Taxes:

SPECIFY:	(a) Amount	(b) Committed Interest	(c) Total
a. <u>Water Lien</u>	<u>12,207.75</u>		
b. <u>Sewer Lien</u>	<u>9,746.25</u>		
c. <u>Sewer/Conn</u>	<u>123,008.19</u>		
d. <u>Curb/St/Side</u>	<u>3,698.91</u>		
e. <u>Water</u>	<u>1,050.88</u>		
f. <u>Comm Int</u>		<u>27,262.94</u>	

2. Total Column (c)

\$ 176,974.92

TOTAL AMOUNT OF FISCAL YEAR PROPERTY TAXES AND
ASSESSMENTS COMMITTED TO COLLECTOR

\$ 16,978,578.65

THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Town of Natick

Name of city or town

Fiscal Year 1977 School Tax Rate Recapitulation

(Chapter 59, Section 23C, G.L., as amended by Chapter 460, Acts of 1954)

(Chapter 59, Section 23C, G.L., as amended by Chapter 14, Acts of 1966)

(Chapter 59, Section 23C, G.L., as amended by Chapter 315, Acts of 1967)

(Chapter 59, Section 23C, G.L., as amended by Chapter 546, Acts of 1969)

A. SCHOOL APPROPRIATIONS (Include total amounts appropriated or lawfully expended
since previous tax rate was fixed:1. General Appropriations for Support and Maintenance of Public Schools 11,355,694.00
And the following items if not included in (1) above:

2. Principal and Interest on School Debt 221,210.00

3. Tuition (G.L., Ch. 76, Sec. 12)

4. School Transportation (G.L., Ch. 71, 74, and 76)

5. Vocational Education (G.L., Ch. 74)

6. School Lunches (G.L., Ch. 71, Sec. 72)

7. School Athletics (G.L., Ch. 71, Sec. 47)

8. Special Classes or Instruction (G.L., Ch. 69, Sec. 9A, 16, 28, and 29)

9. Regional School Apportionment (G.L., Ch. 71, Sec. 16A)

10. Support in County Training Schools (G.L., Ch. 71, Sec. 1)

11. Penalties (G.L., Ch. 71, Sec. 34)

12. Appropriations Voted for School Construction from Tax Levy

13. Appropriations Voted from Available Funds for Any School Purposes

14. Special Education (G.L. Ch. 71B, ss. 10, 12)

15.

B. TOTAL SCHOOL APPROPRIATIONS

11,772,926.00

C. SCHOOL PERCENTAGE 50.44 (see M) OF OVERLAYS 526,735.12

265,710.00

D. TOTAL B AND C, and Carry to Outside Column

12,045,636.34

ESTIMATED SCHOOL INCOME

1. School Department Income (F12 of Recapitulation Sheet)	51,305.97	51,305.97
2. Cherry Sheet Estimate: —		
a. Special Education Programs, Ch. 69 & 71	666,751.00	
b. School Aid, Ch. 70, as amended	1,633,574.90	
c. School Transportation Ch. 71, s. 7A	143,300.42	
d. Outside Schools Transportation, Ch. 74, s. 8A	3,037.00	
e. Education of Deaf & Blind Pupils, Ch. 69		
f. Youth Service Board-Tuition Ch. 76, s. 7		
g. Tuition & Transportation of Children, Ch. 76, s. 7		
h. School Transportation, Ch. 71, s. 7B		
i. Vocational Education G.L. Ch. 74, s. 9	43,073.32	
j. Regional School District Ch. 71, s. 16D		
3. Amounts voted from Available Funds for School Purposes (offset to Item A 13 above)		
4. Other reimbursements, grants or gifts assigned or intended for school purposes: —		
Cherry Sheet: —		
a. Pensions to Retired Teachers, 1948 Ch. 645		
b. Construction of School Projects, 1954, Ch. 346	153,209.53	
c. Programs for Disadvantaged Children, Ch. 650, 1964		2,705,357.14

TOTAL ESTIMATED SCHOOL INCOME

ESTIMATED GENERAL RECEIPTS

1. Cherry Sheet: —		
a. Machinery Basis Distribution	62,430.66	
b. Loss of Taxes — State Property		
c. Valuation Basis Distribution 1963, Ch. 660		
2. Recapitulation Sheet: —		
a. Motor Vehicle and Trailer Excise	1,353,560.00	
b. Licenses (do not include Dog Fund)	46,210.00	
c. Fines	16,070.00	
d. Interest on Taxes, Assessments and Deposits	32,965.00	
e. Other Estimated Receipts from State and Federal Government Not Assigned for Special Purposes		
f. Available Funds Used to Reduce Tax Rate		

TOTAL ESTIMATED GENERAL RECEIPTS

SCHOOL PERCENTAGE <u>50.44</u> (see M) OF ESTIMATED GENERAL RECEIPTS	1,517,230.60	765,316.33
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TOTAL DEDUCTIONS, F PLUS I, Carry to Outside Column	3,470,673.47
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SCHOOL ASSESSMENT (Item D, Less J)	3,574,963.37
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COMPUTATION OF SCHOOL PERCENTAGE:

1. Gross Amount to be Raised (Item E, Form 31)	24,293,745.23
Deductions:	
2. Overlays	520,953.21
3. Public Service Enterprise Appropriations	357,397.00
4. Public Service Enterprise Debt and Interest	53,745.00
5. Total Deductions (L2, 3 and 4)	Deduct 937,600.21
6. Net Amount to be Raised (L1 less L5)	23,356,145.07

SCHOOL PERCENTAGE — TOTAL SCHOOL APPROPRIATIONS (Item B) — \$11,779,926.00	50.44%
NET AMOUNT TO BE RAISED (Item L6) \$23,356,145.07	50.44%

COMPUTATION OF RATES:

1. School Tax Rate — School Assessment (Item K) — \$3,574,963.37	43.33	School
Valuation (in thousands) \$195,433,240		
2. General Tax Rate — Total Tax Rate 38.00 Less School Tax Rate 43.33	42.60	General

PROPERTY EXEMPT FROM TAXATION AS LISTED BY THE ASSESSORS

(General Laws, Chapter 59, Section 86)

VALUATION

	Real Estate	Tangible Personal Property
Property of the United States	\$ 9,527,800.00	\$ 20,000.00
Property of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts	2,062,300.00	83,683.00
Property of Literary (Educational) Organizations	2,984,300.00	1,000.00
Property of Benevolent Organizations	21,900.00	3,168,436.00
Property of Charitable Organizations	9,667,400.00	323,415.00
Houses of Religious Worship	3,542,700.00	500.00
Incorporated Organizations of War Veterans	52,300.00	.....
Parsonages (to an Amount not Exceeding \$20,000 for each)	238,000.00	.....
Property of Natick Housing Authority	3,077,200.00	.....
Cemeteries	153,100.00	.....
Property Put to a Public Use:		
Schools	14,451,910.00	25,000.00
Libraries	466,500.00	10,000.00
Fire Department	212,000.00	88,000.00
Police Department	204,100.00	2,500.00
Water Department, including mains	499,100.00	625,000.00
Parks and Playgrounds	433,500.00	1,000.00
Cemeteries	10,900.00	.....
Highway Department	267,200.00	28,000.00
Sewer Department & System	181,600.00	300,000.00
Town of Framingham, Public Works Department (Sewer Division)	10,600.00	.....
Conservation	71,600.00	.....
Parking Lots	19,100.00	.....
Tax Possessions	24,000.00	.....
All Other	86,400.00	.....
Penn Central Co.	34,500.00	.....
Total	\$48,300,010.00	\$4,676,534.00

ASSESSORS' RETURN OF ASSESSED VALUES ON CORPORATIONS

(General Laws, Chapter 59, Section 83)

Type of Corporation	Real Estate	Personal Property	Motor Vehicle Excise
477 Domestic	\$ 9,512,000.00	\$ 7,548,400.00	\$2,107,230.00
78 Foreign	19,568,000.00	3,152,400.00	802,600.00
	\$29,080,000.00	\$10,700,800.00	\$2,909,830.00

Property Taxes Abated

1976

(General Laws, Chapter 59 Section 59 et al)

LEVY OF 1973	
Real Estate	\$15,293.50
Personal Property	1,817.70
Total Amount Abated	\$17,111.20
LEVY OF 1974	
Real Estate	\$ 7,751.50
Total Amount Abated	\$ 7,751.50
LEVY OF 1975	
Real Estate	\$17,424.00
Personal Property	24.00
Total Amount Abated	\$17,448.00
LEVY OF 1976	
Real Estate	\$21,757.69
Personal Property	5,769.50
Total Amount Abated	\$27,527.19
LEVY OF 1977	
Real Estate	\$ 2,492.28
Personal Property	2,795.00
Total Amount Abated	\$ 5,287.28
TOTAL REAL ESTATE	\$64,718.97
TOTAL PERSONAL PROPERTY	10,406.20
TOTAL AMOUNT ABATED	\$75,125.17

MOTOR VEHICLES AND TRAILER EXCISE COMMITTED IN 1976

(General Laws, Chapter 60A, Section 1)

LEVY OF 1976

Number of Vehicles Assessed	22,050
Value of Vehicles Assessed	\$829,605,563.00
Tax on Vehicles Assessed	\$1,167,213.63

LEVY OF 1975

Number of Vehicles Assessed	1221
Value of Vehicles Assessed	\$1,750,546.00
Tax on Vehicles Assessed	\$81,267.63

LEVY OF 1974

Number of Vehicles Assessed	116
Value of Vehicles Assessed	\$122,550.00
Tax on Vehicles Assessed	\$17,338.36

Total Number of Vehicles Assessed	23,387
Total Value of Vehicles Assessed	\$831,478,659.00
Total Tax on Vehicles Assessed	\$1,265,819.62

MOTOR VEHICLE AND TRAILER EXCISE ABATED IN 1976

LEVY OF 1976

Number of Vehicles Abated	1,992
Tax on Vehicles Abated	\$72,387.31

LEVY OF 1975

Number of Vehicles Abated	716
Tax on Vehicles Abated	\$25,757.94

LEVY OF 1974

Number of Vehicles Abated	108
Tax on Vehicles Abated	\$10,380.41

LEVY OF 1973

Number of Vehicles Abated	6
Tax on Vehicles Abated	\$53,441.99
Total Tax on Vehicles Abated	\$161,967.65

STATUTORY EXEMPTIONS OF PROPERTY
(General Laws, Chapter 59, Section 5)

CLAUSE 17		
98 - Widows		\$ 17,412.50
CLAUSE 18		
Persons unable to contribute fully towards the public charges by reason of:		
23 - Financial & Infirmary		\$ 6,663.97
CLAUSE 22		
Veterans who by reason of injury or disease contracted while in the service of the United States, during time of war in the line of duty:		
434 - Certificate from veterans Administration showing at least 10% disability		\$75,950.00
37 - Veterans having the Purple Heart		\$ 6,475.00
11 - Wives of Soldiers or Sailors entitles to exemption under any of the above paragraphs of Veterans who were eligible at the time of their death or who lost their lives as a result of Service		\$ 1,925.00
4 - Fathers and mothers of Soldiers or Sailors who lost their lives in service		\$ 700.00
7 - Lost onefoot, hand or eye and Distinguished Service Cross and Air Force Cross		\$ 2,450.00
2 - Lost both feet, hands and foot, or both eyes		\$ 1,400.00
CLAUSE 37		
19 - Blind Persons (437.50)		\$ 7,430.00
CLAUSE 41 -- Over to (350.00)		\$116,250.00
CLAUSE E -		
7 - 100% Disabilty		\$ 3,675.00
CLAUSE 22 C		
1		\$ 875.00
TOTALS EXEMPTIONS - 974	TOTAL AMOUNT EXEMPTION	\$241,206.47

TOWN COLLECTOR

JULY 1-1975-JUNE 30-1976

AMOUNTS COLLECTED AND PAID TREASURER

Unapportioned and apportioned Betterments

Unapportioned Sidewalk and Curbing Betterments	2,553.87
Apportioned Street Betterments	1,538.72
Apportioned Sidewalk & Curbing Betterments	750.08
Apportioned Sewer Betterments	25,477.43
Committed Interest	547.21

1973 Real Estate

Real Estate	3,051.50
Sewer Betterments	156.01
Committed Interest	31.62
Added Interest	607.72
Costs	8.00

1974-1st Six Months Real Estate

Real Estate	28,027.31
Added Interest	3,594.10
Costs	71.00

1974-75 Real Estate

Real Estate	321,454.10
Apportioned Sidewalk and Curbing Betterment	90.73
Committed Interest	707.08
Sewer Betterments	2,278.86
Water Liens	2,490.20
Sewer Liens	2,226.50
Added Interest	16,907.52
Costs	1,806.00

Amounts paid Treasurer

1975-76 Real Estate

Real Estate	12,758,606.25
Water Misc	1,168.06
Sidewalk Betterments	2,057.81
Street Betterments	1,778.86
Committed Interest	32,468.87
Sewer Betterments	122,876.34
Sewer Connections	241.13
Water Liens	10,764.90
Sewer Liens	8,786.42
Addred Interest	12,114.00
Costs	2,837.00
Motor Vehicle Excise 1972 and prior years plus interest and costs	4,630.81
Motor Vehicle Excise 1973 plus interest and costs	11,084.41
Motor Vehicle Excise 1974 plus interest and costs	110,751.82
Motor Vehicle Excise 1975 plus interest and costs	641,273.54
Motor Vehicle Excise 1976 plus costs	380,175.69
Special Duty (Police)	48,497.35
Board of Health	1,047.90
Personal Property 1973 plus interest and costs	68.89
Personal Property 1974-1st six months plus interest and costs	51.50
Personal Property 1974-75 plus interest and costs	1,170.44
Personal Property 1975-76 plus interest	553,531.07
Sub Total	15,120.358.62
Water, Sewer & Misc Accts	557.326.47
Total	15,677.685.09

WATER - SEWER AND MISCELLANEOUS ACCOUNTS

Total Water & Sewer Commitment 1975-1976 \$581,077.16

By amount paid Treasurer	Water & Sewer	539,111.79
" " " "	Summons	1,324.80
" " " "	Water Misc.	12,965.48
" " " "	Sewer Misc.	3,900.00
" " " "	Highway Misc.	24.40
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		\$557,326.47

TOWN TREASURER

Balance in banks June 30, 1975	1,491,467.42
Receipts July 1, 1975 - June 30, 1976	<u>54,839,428.75</u>
Total	56,330,896.17
Disbursements July 1, 1975 - June 30, 1976	51,982,145.57
Cash Balance on hand June 30, 1976	<u><u>4,348,750.60</u></u>
Cash on hand	1,092,097.05
Savings & Time Deposits	<u>4,107,774.74</u>
Total	5,199,871.79

Donald F. Atherton

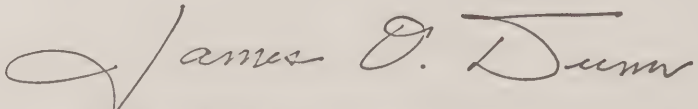
Town Treasurer

JAMES O. DUNN
CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT
65 William Street
Wellesley Office Park
Wellesley, Massachusetts 02181

Board of Trustees
Leonard Morse Hospital
Union Street,
Natick, Massachusetts

We have examined the Balance Sheet of the Leonard Morse Hospital, Natick, Massachusetts, as of September 30, 1976, the Statements of Changes in Fund Balances and of Revenues and Expenses and the Statement of Changes in Financial Position for the year then ended. Our examination was made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards and accordingly included such tests of the accounting records and such other auditing procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.

In our opinion, subject to the final determination of contractual losses as further explained in Note 1 of Notes to Financial Statements, the aforementioned financial statements present fairly the financial position of the Leonard Morse Hospital at September 30, 1976, and the results of its operation for the year then ended in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles applied on a basis consistent with that of the preceding year.



JAMES O. DUNN
Certified Public Accountant

January 5, 1977
Wellesley, Massachusetts

LEONARD MORSE HOSPITAL

BALANCE SHEET
September 30, 1976ASSETSUNRESTRICTED FUNDSGeneral Funds:

Current:

Cash and investments		\$	586,855
Accounts receivable:			
Patients	\$ 2,289,898		
Less: Allowance for doubtful accounts	<u>342,750</u>		
	1,947,148		
Other (Note 3)	<u>221,126</u>	2,168,274	
Inventories		319,758	
Prepaid expenses		<u>124,155</u>	
Total current			3,199,042

Fixed assets:

Land	83,800		
Construction in progress	122,495		
Land improvements, buildings and equipment	\$15,898,908		
Less: Accumulated depreciation	<u>3,438,759</u>	<u>12,460,149</u>	12,666,444

Other:

Board designated - cash savings		500	
Trustee held funds:			
Interest fund - investments (Note 5)	4,846		
Debt service reserve fund investments (Note 5)	<u>1,012,250</u>	1,017,096	
Prepaid finance expense		<u>392,011</u>	<u>1,409,607</u>
Total general funds			<u>\$17,275,093</u>

LEONARD MORSE HOSPITALBALANCE SHEET
September 30, 1976LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCESUNRESTRICTED FUNDSGeneral Funds:

Current:

Accounts payable	\$	632,070
Other payables (Note 3)		601,733
Current portion of long term debt (Note 4)		320,000

Total current		1,553,803
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Other:

Blue Cross advance payable	\$	137,053
Bonds payable - long term (Note 4)		<u>7,780,000</u>
		<u>7,917,053</u>

Total liabilities		9,470,856
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Fund balance		7,804,237
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<u>Total general funds</u>		<u>\$17,275,093</u>
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Exhibit A

LEONARD MORSE HOSPITAL

BALANCE SHEET
September 30, 1976

ASSETS

RESTRICTED FUNDS

Hospital Aid Funds:

Cash	\$ 68,958
Inventories	<u>11,009</u>
Total hospital aid funds	<u>\$ 79,967</u>

Specific Purpose Funds:

Cash	\$ <u>6,518</u>
Total specific purpose funds	<u>\$ 6,518</u>

Endowment Funds:

Cash	\$ 5,000
Investments	<u>23,000</u>
Total endowment funds	<u>\$ 28,000</u>

Depreciation Funds:

Investments	\$ <u>500,000</u>
Total depreciation funds	<u>\$ 500,000</u>

LEONARD MORSE HOSPITAL

BALANCE SHEET
September 30, 1976

LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCESRESTRICTED FUNDSHospital Aid Funds:

Fund balance	\$ 79,967
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Total hospital aid funds	<u>\$ 79,967</u>

Specific Purpose Funds:

Fund balance	\$ 6,518
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Total specific purpose funds	<u>\$ 6,518</u>

Endowment Funds:

Fund balance	\$ 28,000
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Total endowment funds	<u>\$ 28,000</u>

Depreciation Funds:

Fund balance	\$ 500,000
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Total depreciation funds	<u>\$ 500,000</u>

LEONARD MORSE HOSPITALSTATEMENT OF CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES
For the Year Ended September 30, 1976

	General Funds	Construction Funds	Hospital Aid Funds	Specific Purpose Funds	Endowment Funds	Depreciation Funds
Balance - October 1, 1975	\$8,102,501	\$ 32,400	\$ 64,897	\$ 6,562	\$28,000	\$ -
Additions:						
Excess of revenues	201,736		35,718			
Earnings from invested cash		254,962				34,689
Donor restricted contributions (net)				317		
Deductions:						
Capitalized investment income		(204,599)				
Transfer to General Funds		(82,763)	(648)	(361)		(34,689)
Adjustment of prior period						
Payment on Priority '75 pledge			(20,000)			
Transfers:						
Appropriation to Depreciation Funds	(550,000)					550,000
Appropriation to General Funds	50,000					(50,000)
Balance - September 30, 1976	\$7,804,237	\$ -	\$ 79,967	\$ 6,518	\$28,000	\$ 500,000

LEONARD MORSE HOSPITALSTATEMENT OF REVENUES AND EXPENSES
For the Year Ended September 30, 1976

Gross Patient Revenues:

Routine services:

Nursing care, room and food services \$ 7,291,982

Special services:

Operating room, x-ray, laboratory,
pharmacy, etc. 8,406,403

Total 15,698,385

Deductions from gross patient revenues:

Contractual and other allowances \$ 844,534

Provision for uncollectible accounts 375,185 (1,219,719)

Net patient revenues 14,478,666

Other operating revenues 163,176

Total operating revenues 14,641,842

Operating expenses:

Nursing and other professional services 8,460,902

Dietary 822,193

Plant, housekeeping and maintenance 1,521,348

Administrative and fiscal services 1,772,941

Employee benefits and payroll expense 1,091,806

Depreciation 610,245

Interest and amortization of financing
fees and bond discount 358,082 (14,637,517)

Excess of operating revenues 4,325

Non-operating revenues:

Trustee restricted gifts 160,219

Transfer from Specific Purpose Funds 361

Investment income - Construction Funds 82,763

Investment income - Depreciation Funds 34,689

Other Contributions, grants and interest 85,203 363,235

Non-operating expenses (900)

Excess of revenues before
extraordinary items 366,660

Extraordinary items:

Prior years' Blue Cross and Medicare
contractual adjustments 68,461Prior years' vacation adjustment (Note 6) 96,463 (164,924)Excess of revenues \$ 201,736

LEONARD MORSE HOSPITAL

STATEMENT OF VOLUNTEER SERVICES - HOSPITAL AID FUND
For the Year Ended September 30, 1976

Sales		\$116,021
Cost of sales		<u>61,596</u>
Gross revenues on sales		54,425
Other operating revenues		<u>44,274</u>
Total operating revenues		98,699
Expenses: (excluding value of volunteered services)		
Salaries and wages	\$24,398	
Supplies and other	<u>40,707</u>	<u>65,105</u>
Excess of operating revenues		33,594
Non-operating revenues		<u>2,124</u>
<u>Excess of revenues</u>		<u>\$ 35,718</u>

LEONARD MORSE HOSPITAL

ENDOWMENT MEMORIAL FUNDS
As of September 30, 1976

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Blaney	\$ 15,000
Edgar S. Hayes	5,000
Edward Lyons	5,000
Elizabeth Rice	<u>3,000</u>
<u>Total</u>	<u>\$ 28,000</u>

LEONARD MORSE HOSPITAL

NOTES TO ACCOMPANY FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
September 30, 1976

NOTE 1: SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

- a). Basis of presentation - The financial statements have been presented in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles as recommended in the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants' Hospital Audit Guide.
- b). Third-party rate adjustments - Contractual revenue adjustments are accrued in the current year of operations. Inasmuch as these adjustments are estimates, any difference between the amounts accrued and the amounts settled is recorded in the year of settlement.
- c). Property, Plant and Equipment - Property, plant and equipment are based on values established by an appraisal as at September 30, 1970 with subsequent additions at cost. Depreciation is calculated on a straight-line method at various rates recommended in the appraisal and consistent with published guidelines. Additions to fixed assets during 1976 included interest capitalized during the period of construction, June 1975 to the completion in 1976 of specific phases, as outlined in the prospectus relative to the Series A Bonds.

NOTE 2:

Due principally to the incorporation of fixed assets and the combining of the Series A Bonds within the General Fund of the Hospital's statements, certain reclassifications of 1975 amounts have been made to permit comparison with 1976 data.

NOTE 3:

As of the date of this report both the Medicare and Blue Cross reimbursement reports for the year ended September 30, 1976 await completion. Provision has been made in the accompanying statements for the estimated net receivable of \$45,000 covering this year's contractual settlements as follows:

Due from Medicare	\$175,000
Due to Blue Cross	\$130,000

However, when this net receivable is combined with prior years' settlements pending, a net payable of \$22,922 exists. This net payable is contained within the accompanying statements as follows:

LEONARD MORSE HOSPITAL

NOTES TO ACCOMPANY FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
September 30, 1976

NOTE 3: (continued)

Accounts receivable - other	\$181,689
Other payables	\$204,611

NOTE 4:

The Series A Bonds have been issued under and secured by a Trust Indenture dated June 1, 1975 from the Hospital to BayBank Newton-Waltham Trust Company, as Trustee. The Series A Bonds consist of \$1,000,000 serial bonds subject to mandatory redemption in specified annual amounts commencing on October 1, 1977. The following is a schedule of amounts, maturities, and interest rates on serially due bonds.

<u>Amount</u>	<u>Due October 1,</u>	<u>Interest Rate</u>
\$ 100,000	1977	6 %
100,000	1978	6 1/4
100,000	1979	6 1/2
100,000	1980	6 3/4
100,000	1981	7
100,000	1982	7 1/4
100,000	1983	7 1/2
100,000	1984	7 3/4
100,000	1985	8
100,000	1986	8

Series A Bonds maturing October 1, 2001 also are subject to redemption prior to maturity on or after October 1, 1986, as a whole on any date or in part on any interest payment date, by lot, at the principal amount of the Series A Bonds to be redeemed and accrued interest thereon to the date of redemption, together with a premium which will equal the following percentages of the principal amount being paid:

<u>Period</u>	<u>Applicable Premium</u>
On or after October 1, 1986 but prior to October 1, 1990	3%
On or after October 1, 1990 but prior to October 1, 1994	2%
On or after October 1, 1994 but prior to October 1, 1998	1%
And without premium if redeemed thereafter.	

LEONARD MORSE HOSPITAL

NOTES TO ACCOMPANY FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
September 30, 1976

NOTE 4: (Continued)

Series A Bonds maturing on October 1, 2001 also are subject to mandatory redemption by lot, under the Bond Sinking Fund provisions of the Indenture, at 100% of the principal amount so redeemed, plus accrued interest, and without premium, beginning October 1, 1977, and on each October 1 thereafter, to and including October 1, 2001 as follows:

<u>Year</u>	<u>Principal Amount</u>	<u>Year</u>	<u>Principal Amount</u>	<u>Year</u>	<u>Principal Amount</u>
1977	\$220,000	1986	\$225,000	1995	\$325,000
1978	220,000	1987	325,000	1996	325,000
1979	220,000	1988	325,000	1997	325,000
1980	220,000	1989	325,000	1998	325,000
1981	220,000	1990	325,000	1999	325,000
1982	225,000	1991	325,000	2000	325,000
1983	225,000	1992	325,000	2001	325,000
1984	225,000	1993	325,000		
1985	225,000	1994	325,000		

Moneys deposited in the Bond Redemption Fund pursuant to Sections 6.23 and 6.24 of the Indenture allow for extraordinary redemption of the Series A Bonds on any date (notwithstanding any non-callable provisions applicable to such Bonds), in the event of revenue loss resulting from eminent domain, public authority purchase or damage to the Hospital sufficient to adversely affect the security of the Series A Bonds. Such redemption shall be in inverse order of maturity (by lot within a maturity) at a redemption price of par plus accrued interest, without premium.

NOTE 5:

According to the Trust Indenture dated June 1, 1975 between the Hospital and Trustee Bank, establishment of the following funds are required:

- a.) Debt Service Reserve Fund - This represents the maximum amount of interest and principal or sinking fund installment payment due on the bonds in the then current, or any future year. The purpose of this fund is to provide a one-year reserve for the payment of principal and interest in the event of unforeseen financial difficulties.

LEONARD MORSE HOSPITAL

NOTES TO ACCOMPANY FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
September 30, 1976

NOTE 5: (Continued)

- b.) Interest Fund - This fund is established for the payment of semi-annual interest payments. The amount of interest to be paid from June 1, 1975, through September 30, 1976, was deposited in the fund with the Trustee from two sources. Specifically, these included an amount provided from bond proceeds and monies transferred from Hospital revenues on the portion of bonds issued to refinance non-Project related and existing indebtedness. Beginning in October, 1976, payments will be made monthly which together with funds on deposit therein equals 1/6 of the interest to become due on the next ensuing interest payment date; provided that no such deposit need be made if moneys on hand in the Interest Fund are in an amount sufficient to pay interest on the Bonds on the next ensuing interest payment date.

NOTE 6:

During the year ended September 30, 1976 there was a personnel change effecting the method of recognizing vacation hours earned. This change in policy had the effect of making all vacation hours earned immediately available to the employees.

NOTE 7:

The Hospital has established "The Leonard Morse Hospital Retirement Plan for Employees," effective March 1, 1970. The BayBank Newton-Waltham Trust Company is acting as Trustee of the plan.

The unfunded accrued liability for past service benefits at June 1, 1976 was approximately \$232,769. It is expected that this will be amortized over the remaining thirty-four (34) years. Interest on the unfunded balance is calculated at 4% per annum.

Adjustment to the plan is currently under consideration with particular reference to the ERISA guidelines.

LEONARD MORSE HOSPITAL

NOTES TO ACCOMPANY FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
September 30, 1976

NOTE 8:

The figures shown are condensed for the Town of Natick Report. A copy of the complete audit report has been received by the Leonard Morse Hospital and is on file at the Morse Institute Library, Natick, Massachusetts.

ACCOUNTING DEPARTMENT

In compliance with Section 61, Chapter 41, General Laws, submitted herewith is the annual report of the Accounting Department for the fiscal period July 1, 1975 to June 30, 1976, inclusive.

All invoices and payrolls presented during the year by the Town Departments have been examined both for their accuracy and legal requirements before being submitted to the Treasurer for payment. The payments, which were presented on 459 Treasury Warrants, amounted to \$51,982,145.57.

The total receipts from July 1, 1975 to June 30, 1976, inclusive, were \$ 54,839,428.75. The cash balance on hand June 30, 1976 was \$ 4,348,750.60 plus invested cash of \$ 503,657.20 for a total of \$ 4,852,407.80 which is a decrease of \$ 639,059.62 over the balance on hand at the end of the previous fiscal period.

Monthly notices of appropriation condition were forwarded on State approved forms to all Town Officers, Committees and Boards charged with the expenditure of Town funds.

Detailed statements of all departmental budgets were compiled showing amounts for each item expended in 1975-1976, appropriated for 1975-1976 and requested for 1976-1977. Copies of each budget were forwarded to the Finance Committee.

The unexpended appropriation balances, exclusive of Sewer, Water and Parking Meter, returned to the 1975-76 Revenue Account amounted to \$ 683,386.08 an increase of \$ 106,263.90 over the prior year.

As required by law, under Section 54A, Chapter 41, General Laws, notice was given to the Assessors of the total 1975 receipts except from taxes, loans, trust funds, federal grants and revolving funds, and the source of such receipts was specified.

John B. Jennings
Comptroller

1975 - 1976 CASH ACCOUNTS

Balance 7/1/75

\$ 1,491,467.42

RECEIPTS

July	\$ 1,245,147.09	
August	1,323,603.01	
September	1,543,797.74	
October	2,145,894.23	
November	5,627,040.76	
December	6,924,966.84	
January	2,700,097.19	
February	3,970,813.14	
March	4,281,626.28	
April	2,514,310.13	
May	7,144,023.22	
June	15,418,109.12	
		<u>54,839,428.75</u>
		56,330,896.17

DISBURSEMENTS

July	2,254,952.28	
August	1,074,863.91	
September	2,237,122.66	
October	2,032,131.67	
November	3,384,020.26	
December	4,983,464.81	
January	2,637,131.97	
February	1,670,543.47	
March	2,004,245.41	
April	2,769,487.95	
May	3,733,161.79	
June	23,201,019.39	
		<u>51,982,145.57</u>
		4,348,750.60

FEDERAL REVENUE SHARING CASH

Balance July 1, 1975		113,218.82
Plus - Payments received from 7/1/75-6/30/76		
from the U.S. Treasury	589,514.00	
- Interest on Investments	<u>1,845.98</u>	<u>591,359.98</u>
		704,578.80
Less - Payments from 7/1/75 - 6/30/76		
For Fire Department salaries		660,000.00
Cash on Hand June 30, 1976		<u>44,578.80</u>

CERTIFIED FREE CASH FOR 1975-1976

Certified by Director as available as of 7/1/75		1,567,832.00
Plus - Amounts collected on prior year's commitments		
of Personal Property & Real Estate Taxes, plus		
Tax Title Redemptions from 7/1/75 to 3/31/76		
per CH59 S 23 M.G.L.		<u>353,455.37</u>
Total Free Cash Available		1,921,287.37
Less - Amounts voted to be used by:		
Art. 1 STM#6 - 9/9/75	500,000.00	
Art. 8 STM#7 - 11/18/75	25,000.00	
Art. 15 ATM 1976	<u>800,000.00</u>	<u>1,325,000.00</u>
Unused Free Cash returned to Surplus Revenue		596,287.37

FREE CASH FOR THE YEAR 1976-1977

(as determined by the Director of Accounts as of September 14, 1976)

Surplus Revenue Balance 6/30/76			\$1,491,807.37
Less-Levies of 1932-1950 Real Estate	985.74		
Levy of 1951 R.E.	177.84		
" " 1952 "	307.20		
" " 1953 "	133.50		
" " 1954 "	157.68		
" " 1955 "	175.50		
" " 1956 "	243.75		
" " 1957 "	205.72		
" " 1958 "	245.10		
" " 1959 "	540.00		
" " 1960 "	519.75		
" " 1961 "	468.60		
" " 1962 "	592.95		
" " 1963 "	584.80		
" " 1964 "	672.60		
" " 1965 "	492.85		
" " 1966 "	563.50		
" " 1967 "	872.90		
" " 1968 "	878.60		
" " 1969 "	946.95		
" " 1970 "	2,357.03		
" " 1971 "	3,823.35		
" " 1972 "	7,822.05		
" " 1973 -			
Personal Property	2,620.70		
Real Estate	26,331.31	28,952.01	
Levy of 1974 (1st 6 mos.)-			
Personal Property	441.60		
Real Estate	4,647.00	5,088.60	
Levy of 1974-75			
Personal Property	3,851.00		
Real Estate	127,659.90	131,510.90	
Levy of 1975-76			
Personal Property	10,058.43		
Real Estate	366,888.26	376,946.69	
Overdraft Town's Share of			
Group Ins. Premiums	236.01		
Misc. Receivable	14.34		
			<u>566,516.51</u>
"Free Cash" per Balance Sheet			925,290.86
Amount of "Free Cash" certified by Director			955,553.00

CASH RECEIPTS 1975-1976

TAXES

Current Year:

Personal Property	\$ 553,494.92	
Real Estate	12,758,655.77	\$13,312,150.69

Prior Years:

Personal Property	1,210.00	
Real Estate	352,532.91	
Tax Title Redemption	82,435.61	436,178.52

In Lieu of Taxes:

Publicly Owned Land	61,841.20	
State Properties	1,242.72	
Veterans	3,708.05	
Widows	8,925.00	
Blind	1,487.50	77,204.47

From the State:

Income Tax Ch 70	1,544,592.20	
Income Tax Ch 69 & 71	238,783.99	
Income Tax Ch 74	55,168.00	
Free Public Libraries	11,646.38	1,850,190.57
		\$15,675,724.25

LICENSES & PERMITS

Selectmen Licenses	4,188.00	
Liquor Licenses	11,000.00	
Health	1,722.00	
Peddlers	75.00	
Police	1,738.00	
Building Permits	16,156.92	
Gasoline Permits	2,410.00	37,289.92

FINES & FORFEITS

Natick District Court	12,303.27	
South Middlesex Court	173.00	12,476.27

GRANTS & GIFTS

From the Federal Government:

School Aid PL 874	97,228.63	
School Aid PL 89-10	95,234.00	
School Aid PL 864	1,985.76	
School Aid PL 89-13	3,200.00	
School Aid PL 91-230	10,000.00	
School Aid ESEA Title II	20,227.85	
School Aid Indo-Chinese Assistance	300.00	
Federal Revenue Sharing	589,514.00	817,690.24

From the State:

Chapter 90	6,000.00	
Civil Defense	6,023.83	
Metco	81,042.00	
School Const. Aid	158,209.53	
Veterans Benefits	65,666.72	
Lottery & Beano	155,912.71	
Council on Aging Grant	2,400.00	

Dept. of Community Affairs	85,117.35	
Governor's Hgwy Safety Bureau	5,768.00	
Ch 825 Acts of 1974 Hgwy	51,750.00	
Ch 58 Highway	67,453.10	
Ch 81 Highway	74,700.13	
Ch 766 Special Education	450,664.26	
Civil Rights	100.00	
MDC Water	408.89	1,211,216.52

From th County:

Dog Licenses Account 1975	2,982.95	\$ 2,031,889.71
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SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS

Sewer Assessments

Added to Taxes 1975-76	122,876.34	
" " " 1974-75	2,278.86	
" " " 1973	156.01	
Paid in Advance	26,187.31	151,498.52

Sewer House Connections:

Added to Taxes 1975-76	241.13	
Paid in Advance	8.47	249.60

Sidewalk Assessments:

Unapportioned	2,553.87	
Added to Taxes 1975-76	2,057.81	
Added to Taxes 1974-75	37.22	
Paid in Advance	750.08	5,398.98

Street Assessments:

Added to Taxes 1975-76	1,778.86	
Paid in Advance	828.84	2,607.70

Water Assessments:

Added to Taxes 1975-76	634.91	
Added to Taxes 1974-75	53.51	688.42
		160,443.22

PRIVILEGES

Motor Vehicle Excise:

Current Year	380,169.69	
Prior Years	756,813.28	1,136,982.97

Parking Meter Fees	25,437.20	1,162,420.17
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DEPARTMENTAL REVENUE

Selectmen Court Rent	12,731.00
Treasurer Tax Title Release	15.00
Collector Fees & Costs	8,292.00
Town Clerk Various Fees	10,618.19
Assessors Real Estate Books	45.00
Council on Aging	2,703.01

Health Dump Fees	29,696.45	
Health Various Clinics	2,570.00	
Sewer Rentals	207,798.59	
Sewer Rent. added to Taxes 1975-76	8,763.90	
" " " " " 1974-75	2,226.50	
Sewer Misc. & Guarantee Deposits	6,543.75	
House Rental	1,560.00	
Highway Misc.	81.40	
Road Machinery Fund	35,004.16	
Planning Board Fees	246.50	
Police Accident Reports	2,476.00	
Police Special Duty Serv Charge	705.00	
PWD Sewer Permit & Inspection	395.00	
PWD Maps	142.00	
School Rent Halls	7,428.82	
School Tuition	27,891.07	
School Summer School	19,392.50	
School Vandalism	661.17	
School Telephone	210.45	
School Adult Education	18,437.50	
School Driver Education	12,030.00	
School Insurance	208.40	
School Sale of Misc. Supplies	162.51	
Recreation Beach Tags	6,165.50	
Recreation Fee Subsidized	38,750.58	
Recreation Other	8,396.52	
Sealer of Weights & Measures	820.00	
Various Phone	900.43	
Various Insurance	4,916.68	
Various Miscellaneous	12,345.77	
July Fourth	3,957.98	495,289.33

WATER DEPT.

Meter Rates	331,313.20	
Liens Added to Taxes 1975-76	10,764.90	
Liens Added to Taxes 1974-75	2,490.20	
Misc. Added to Taxes 1975-76	531.15	
Misc. & Guarantee Deposits	19,107.30	
Summons	1,324.80	365,531.55

INTEREST

Real & Personal Taxes	33,743.73	
Tax Title	6,552.79	
Motor Vehicle Excise	7,377.30	
Special Assessment	33,328.90	
Charity Funds	4,828.10	
Investment-Revenue Cash	121,168.36	
Miscellaneous Interest	25.83	
Federal Revenue Sharing	1,845.98	
Accrued Interest on Loan	4,873.33	213,744.32

MUNICIPAL INDEBTEDNESS

General Purpose Loans	1,000,000.00	
Premium on Loans	1,476.00	1,001,476.00

AGENCY AND REVOLVING FUNDS

Sporting Licenses Due State	12,649.25	
Beverage Licenses Due State	10.00	
Ddg Licenses Due County	4,256.20	
Sale of Dogs Due County	216.00	
School Lunch	553,151.38	
School Athletics	8,780.55	
School Textbooks & Materials	570.42	
Miscellaneous Guarantee Deposits	500.00	
Recreation Handicapped Fund	403.80	
Contributory Group Insurance	339,415.18	
Federal Tax	1,945,131.03	
Massachusetts Tax	567,414.21	
Special Duty Police	47,767.35	3,480,265.37

REFUNDS AND TRANSFERS

General - Various Appropriations	19,516.95	
Revenue Cash Investments	29,725,501.72	
Stabilization Fund	180,308.85	
Miscellaneous	11,300.77	
Federal Tax	36,885.35	29,973,513.64

TOTAL RECEIPTS 7/1/75-6/30/76	\$54,610,063.75
CASH ON HAND 7/1/75	1,491,467.42
	<u>\$56,101,531.17</u>

RECAPITULATION OF EXPENDITURES 1975-1976

	July 1, 1975 Balance	1975 appropriations	Loans, Transfers & other Credits	Totals	Expended on Selectmen's Warrants	Debit Transfers & other Charges	Unexpended Bal. Closed to Revenue	Balances Forward & Overdrafts
GENERAL GOVERNMENT:								
Finance Comm - Sal. & Wages		8,000.00		8,000.00	5,574.00		2,379.50	46.50
Finance Comm - Sal. & Wages - '74-'75	124.50			124.50				124.50
Finance Comm - Expense		5,376.00		5,376.00	6,349.53			79.05
Personnel Bd. - Sal & Wages		1,390.00	1,103.00	2,493.00	1,390.00		50.42	
Personnel Bd. - Expense		400.00		400.00	161.36		363.64	
Personnel - Sal & Wages		79,211.00	125.00	79,336.00	79,000.86		210.14	
Personnel - Expense		5,575.00		5,575.00	5,504.00			71.00
Selectmen - Sal & Wages		5,575.00		5,575.00	250.00			
Selectmen - Expense		250.00		250.00				
Selectmen - Cons. to Recodify Zone By-Laws			7,500.00	7,500.00	1,471.25		16.00	
Selectmen - Stenographic Service		1.00	50.00	51.00	35.00			
Selectmen - Dues for Mass. League of Cities & Tns.		1,515.00		1,515.00	1,515.00			
Selectmen - Labor Relations Consultant		8,500.00		8,500.00	8,500.00			
Selectmen - Labor Relations Expense		300.00	1,200.05	1,500.05	1,500.05			
Selectmen - Publication of Union Contracts '74-'75	243.50			243.50				
Selectmen - Exec. Secretary Expense	150.00			150.00	43.00		243.50	
Selectmen - Plan. Director Expense	525.00			525.00	525.00		107.00	
Selectmen - Publication of Union Contract Regulations '74-'75	200.00			200.00			50.00	
Selectmen - Dial Help Inc	2,500.00			2,500.00				200.00
Comptroller - Salaries & Wages		48,514.00		48,514.00	44,451.97		4,062.03	
Comptroller - Expense		3,175.00		3,175.00	3,056.14		118.86	
Treasurer - Sal & Wages		27,709.00		27,709.00	29,665.51		43.49	
Treasurer - Expense		4,350.00		4,350.00	10,725.50		1,424.50	
Collector - Sal & Wages		41,668.00		41,668.00	45,470.50		90.70	
Collector - Expense		5,290.00		5,290.00	8,664.37		8,570.04	
Assessors - Sal & Wages		59,253.00		59,253.00	57,967.65		1,285.35	
Assessors - Expense		7,800.00		7,800.00	8,077.82		41.69	
Assessors - Professional App. 1971	500.00			500.00				500.00
Assessors - Professional App. 1972	500.00			500.00				500.00
Assessors - Professional App. 1973	200.00			200.00				200.00
Assessors - Professional App. 1974	500.00			500.00				500.00
Town Counsel - Sal & Wages		25,000.00		25,000.00	25,000.00			
Town Counsel - Expense		13,500.00		13,500.00	14,394.72			
Town Clerk - Sal & Wages		5,000.00		5,000.00	375.00		5.28	
Town Clerk - Expense		55,976.00		55,976.00	55,341.36		2,500.00	
Town Clerk - Elect & Tn Meet Sal & Wages		4,950.00	300.00	5,250.00	4,955.20		4,625.00	
Town Clerk - Elect & Tn Meet Expense		12,400.00		12,400.00	12,137.46		290.08	
Town Clerk - Vote Machine Maint.		8,725.00		8,725.00	12,137.46		48.21	
Town Clerk - Expense		1,500.00		1,500.00	472.92		467.74	
Bd. of Registrars - Sal & Wages		8,093.00		8,093.00	2,000.00		1,155.80	
Bd. of Registrars - Expense		10,500.00		10,500.00	6,937.20			
Bd. of Registrars - Salaries & Wages		8,655.00		8,655.00	6,430.10		64.40	
Bd. of Registrars - Expense		4,725.00		4,725.00	2,085.60		2.60	
Bd. of Registrars - Prof. Plan & Eng. Const.		500.00		500.00	4,725.00		500.00	
Bd. of Registrars - Sal & Wages		10,030.00		10,030.00	1.00		1.00	
Planning Board - Salaries & Wages			104.40	104.40	10,134.40		589.86	
Planning Board - Expense					4,398.24			
Planning Board - Master Plan Preparation								
Planning Board - Prof. Plan & Eng. Const.								
Planning Board - Sal & Wages								

Rent of Town Offices	17,706.00		17,706.00			
TOBM - 17 West Central St.	8,100.00	500.00	8,600.00			47.04
TOBM - 17 West Central St.-Water Cooler	100.00	50.00	150.00			3.00
TOBM - 17 West Central St.-Cleaning Service	3,000.00		3,000.00			
TOBM - 17 West Central St.-Alarm System	1.00		1.00			
TOBM - 10 Wilson St.	3,060.00		3,060.00			619.46
Youth & Human Resources Comm.	17,000.00	800.00	19,644.03			
Acquire Esmts.-Craigue-School St. Ext Area			80.00			
" " -Farwell St. Area	100.01		100.01			
" " -Purinton Ave	340.00		340.00			
" " -West St. Durant Rd.		1,135.00	1,135.00			
" 43 -E. Natick Sewer	2,129.00		2,129.00			
" Land So. Side of So. Main St.	5,300.00		5,300.00			
" Land 60 & 62 Mill St.	450.00	450.00	900.00			
" Land at 448 Worcester St.	1.00		1.00			
" Sewer Esmts. off Hartford St.	500.00		500.00			
" 3 Esmts-Well off Cypress Rd.	850.00		850.00			
" 2 Lots-Land-So. Main St.	4,700.00		4,700.00			
Building Code Revision Comm.	49.59		49.59			
Bicentennial Cele. of Ind. Committee	129.18		129.18			
Fourth of July	95.29		95.29			
Historic District Study Comm.		200,000.00	200,000.00			
Natick Redevelopment Authority		2,000.00	2,000.00			
Paper Recycling Program			148.50			
Pre. Tn Meet Tour of Insp. of Sites Comm.	148.50		148.50			
Public Transportation System			55,000.00			
Reimburse Wm. J. Fannon	337.35		337.35			
Reg. Voc. Sch. District Plan Comm.	1,500.00		1,500.00			
Reimburse Retirees for Medicare Prem(1970)	1,290.25		1,290.25			
School Busing Committee	2,376.96		2,376.96			
Social Concerns Study Committee	3,500.00		3,500.00			
Solid Waste Recycling Committee	248.20		248.20			
Specs. Equip & Exp for Ren. 17 W. Central	10,083.12		10,083.12			
Town By-Law Review Committee	120.00		120.00			
Town Forest Committee	845.35		845.35			
Unpaid Bills of Prior Years		1,002.75	1,002.75			
" " " " 1973	24.40		24.40			
" " " " 1971	200.14		200.14			
Use of Pegan Brook Filter Beds Id.	65.63		65.63			
CEPC - Expense	200.00		200.00			
CEPC - Collector - File Cabinet	360.00		360.00			
CEPC - Bd. of Appeals - Elec. Typewriter	675.00		675.00			
CEPC - PWD Adm.-Prt. Calc.	600.00		600.00			
CEPC - PWD Equip. Maint-1/2 Ton Pick-up Trk.	4,700.00		4,700.00			
CEPC - PWD " " -Impact Wrench	750.00		750.00			
CEPC - PWD " " -Serv. Jack	650.00		650.00			
CEPC - PWD Highway - 1/2 Ton Pick-up Trk.	4,700.00		4,700.00			
CEPC - PWD " " -3/4 Ton Pick-up With Flow	6,900.00		6,900.00			
CEPC - PWD " " -2 "Two Ton Radios	1,400.00		1,400.00			
CEPC - PWD WATER - 3/4 Ton Pick-up Trk.	6,000.00		6,000.00			
CEPC - PWD Water - Sedan	1,000.00		1,000.00			
CEPC - PWD Water - Pipe Locator	800.00		800.00			
CEPC - PWD Water - Tapping machine	900.00		900.00			
CEPC - Sewer-3/4 Ton Pick-up Utility Body	6,000.00		6,000.00			
CEPC - Sewer - 500' High Pressure Hose	1,650.00		1,650.00			
CEPC - Police - 2 Additional Portable Radios	850.00		850.00			
CEPC - Police - Replace 7 Cruisers	32,207.00		32,207.00			
CEPC - Police - Camera	1,000.00		1,000.00			

CEPC - Police - Typewriter	675.00	675.00		675.00		87.00
CEPC - Fire - Car	3,500.00	3,500.00		3,413.00		196.00
CEPC - Fire - Hurst Tool	5,500.00	5,500.00		5,304.00		
CEPC - Fire - Ambulance	15,000.00	15,000.00		10,052.80		4,947.20
CEPC - Fire - Compressor	5,600.00	5,600.00		3,457.79		2,132.21
CEPC - Bldg. - Elect Typewriter	675.00	675.00		675.00		25.25
CEPC - Health - Dissolved Solids Meter	250.00	250.00		224.75		
CEPC - Dental Clinic-X-Ray Unit-Shield & Install	4,000.00	4,000.00		2,904.00		
CEPC - Recreation - Heavy Duty Mowing Unit	2,600.00	2,600.00	304.00	2,534.00		
CEPC - Fire - 1 25KW Elec. Pow. Plt '74-'75				12,433.00		
CEPC - PWD Highway-1 Med. dp trk. '74-'75				64,434.00		
CEPC - Fire - 1-1250 GM Pumper Eng. '74-'75			274.00	17,820.00		
CEPC - Highway-1 lge. Dump Truck '74-'75	94,174.00	94,174.00		6,889.00		201.85
CEPC - Police-Safety Vehicle-'74-'75	21,710.00	21,710.00		94,174.00		239.80
PWD - Administration - Sal & Wages	66,182.00	66,182.00	4,400.00	26,110.00		7.96
PWD - Engineering - Sal & Wages	1,080.00	1,080.00		66,182.00		58,210.83
PWD - Equipment Maint. - Sal & Wages	96,002.00	96,002.00		1,080.00		1,068.37
PWD-Equipment Maint. - Expense	58,750.00	58,750.00	5,877.35	96,002.00		4,315.00
PWD-Equipment Maint. - Repairs To Gravel Plt	2,000.00	2,000.00		64,627.35		43.20
TOTALS FOR GENERAL GOVERNMENT	1,066,231.96	1,470,892.81	253,771.93	1,207,408.80		55,912.33
PROTECTION OF PERSONS & PROPERTY:						
Police Dept. - Sal & Wages	882,086.60	882,086.60		855,545.18		26,541.42
Police - Sal & Wagesfor Pol. Off.(Holiday)	876.00	876.00		87,766.77		64.13
Police - Expense	83,840.00	83,840.00	4,000.00	66.12		
Police - Expense '75-'75				3,126.00		62.78
Police - Emergency Medical	1,200.00	1,200.00	2,126.00	1,188.69		11.31
Police - Court Quarters Expense	626,343.60	626,343.60		593,392.08		32,951.52
Fire Dept. - Sal & Wages	660,000.00	660,000.00		660,000.00		
Fire - Sal & Wages-Fed Rev Sharing	51,925.00	51,925.00		48,359.43		2,615.57
Fire Dept- Expense				980.00		121.49
Fire - Expense-'74-'75	9,425.00	9,425.00		8,798.86		
Fire - Clothing Allowance	11,000.00	11,000.00		8,757.48		242.52
Fire - Extend & Alter F/A System	850.00	850.00		802.65		47.35
Fire - Police Alarm Expansion				8,503.02		424.72
Fire - Ext & Alter F/A Sys.-'74-'75	1,000.00	1,000.00	285.23	1,185.23		813.00
Fire - Education Exp. In State	1,000.00	1,000.00		345.21		
Fire - Emergency Medical				125.00		2.63
Fire - Emergency Medical-'74-'75	125.00	125.00		51,211.20		2,086.80
Militia Rifle Ranges	53,298.00	53,298.00		3,367.79		37.21
Building Dept. - Sal & Wages	2,605.00	2,605.00	800.00	1,000.00		1,000.00
Building - Expense	1,000.00	1,000.00		200.00		29.46
Building - Demolition	200.00	200.00		10,618.00		170.54
Building - Auto Repair	10,618.00	10,618.00		1,473.00		1,174.80
Sealer of Wgts & Meas.-Sal & Wages	1,473.00	1,473.00	95.00	89,171.00		1,458.51
Sealer of Wgts & Meas.-Expense	89,076.00	89,076.00		4,635.00		6.35
Forestry Dept. - Sal & Wages	4,635.00	4,635.00	562.19	15,782.19		46.50
Forestry - Sal & Wages Spare Help	15,220.00	15,220.00		12,057.00		246.51
Forestry - Expense	12,057.00	12,057.00		4,100.00		12.00
Dog Officer - Sal & Wages	4,100.00	4,100.00		400.00		259.79
Dog Officer - Expense	400.00	400.00		1,200.00		
Burial Officer - Sal & Wages	1,200.00	1,200.00		1,337.07		510.50
Burial Officer - Expense	1,500.00	1,500.00		975.00		162.93
Civil Defense - Expense	975.00	975.00		350.00		.59
Conservation Comm. - Expense	350.00	350.00		40.25		2.92
Conservation Comm. - Prot. of Wetlands						
Conservation Comm. - Prot. of Wetlands-'74-'75	40.25	40.25				391.65

Conservation Comm. - Maint of Controlled Lds.	50.00	100.06	50.00	46.15	3.85	13.75
Conservation Comm. Fund		100.00	100.06	86.31		
Historic District Commission		195.00	100.00	280.34	14.66	
TOTALS FOR PROTECTION OF PERSONS & PROP.	10,365.32	8,068.48	2,548,057.00	2,472,190.16	68,333.00	7,533.84
HEALTH & SANITATION:						
Board of Health - Sal & Wages			78,184.00	75,715.45	2,468.55	
Board of Health - Expense		600.00	12,200.00	12,796.39	3.61	
Board of Health - Exterminators		3,430.00		2,900.00	530.00	
Board of Health - Cooperative Clinics			17,500.00	17,500.00		
Board of Health - Contagious Diseases			1,000.00	555.14	444.86	
Board of Health - Prenature Baby Care			100.00		100.00	
Board of Health - Water Analysis-Dug Pond	3,477.51		3,477.51	2,712.42		765.09
Dental Clinic - Sal & Wages			6,657.00	6,149.40	507.60	
Dental Clinic - Expense			10,000.00	4,995.14	5,004.86	
Mosquito Control - Sal & Wages			14,847.00	14,498.24	348.76	
Mosquito Control - Expense			8,901.00	8,195.16	705.84	
PWD Sewer - Sal & Wages			117,102.00	117,069.54	32.46	
PWD Sewer - Expense			29,655.00	29,316.84	338.16	
PWD Sewer - Renovate Swr Pump Sta.-'74-'75			500.00		500.00	
PWD Sewer - Insp & Rest. Sewer Sys.			29,150.06	27,833.06	1,317.00	
PWD Sewer-Construct Sew. NoEst Natick		600,000.00	62,676.99	39,435.04		23,241.95
PWD Sewer-Cons. Mains West-Durant Area			737,993.38	353,569.38		384,424.00
PWD Sewer-Extend Main-Windsor Ave	2,416.87	180,000.00	85,662.87	33,611.30		56,051.57
PWD Sanitation - Sal & Wages			200,000.00	107,721.47	1,135.00	91,143.53
PWD Sanitation - Expense			2,416.87			2,416.87
PWD Town Dump - Sal & Wages			239,798.00	225,981.05	13,816.95	
PWD Town Dump - Expense			3,950.00	3,949.44	.56	
PWD Town Dump - Build Perm Ramp		2,600.00	34,603.00	34,524.17	78.83	
TOTALS FOR HEALTH & SANITATION	424.59	786,630.00	1,767,629.27	1,182,251.71	26,199.55	558,013.01
HIGHWAYS & BRIDGES:						
PWD Highway - Sal & Wages			328,962.00	303,102.43	25,859.57	
PWD Highway - Expense		3,000.00	33,800.00	33,786.34	13.66	
PWD Highway - Snow Removal		10,000.00	150,000.00	134,680.25	5,319.75	
PWD Highway - Traf Mark & Signs			6,000.00	5,943.96	56.04	
PWD Highway - Sidewalk Curb Repairs			1,500.00	1,500.00		
PWD Highway - Sodewalk Construction			6,000.00	5,967.03	32.97	
PWD Highway - Chapter 90 Maint.			7,490.52	5,544.73	455.27	
PWD Highway - Reconstruct Ret. Wall-Pd St	7,490.52		7,019.76			7,490.52
PWD Highway - Mill & Pleasant St. CH 90			18,899.56	7,872.00	11,027.56	
PWD Highway - Res. Wldd-fr. Union to Clvr.	18,899.56		4,200.91	9,412.80	4,200.91	
PWD Highway - Rs. Wldd frm Wdlight to Cott.	4,200.91		26,439.62			17,026.82
PWD Highway - Const. Stm DrainEst Side Glen	26,439.62		3,860.00			3,860.00
PWD Highway - Ext. Strm Drain on Oak St.	3,860.00		41,700.00	32,760.15	8,939.85	
PWD Highway - Res. Pond, Htfd, South & Dewey			30,000.00	23,000.00	7,000.00	
PWD Highway - Twn Wide Drainage Study						

PWD Highway-Replace Boden Ln. Bridge	51,557.00			51,557.00				51,557.00
PWD Highway -Improve No Main St.	21,600.00			21,600.00				21,600.00
PWD Highway-Union St. Chap. 90	15,500.00			15,500.00				15,500.00
PWD Highway-Resurface E. Cent. St.	15,000.00			15,000.00				15,000.00
PWD Highway-Resurface Pond St.	14.02			14.02				14.02
PWD Highway-Reconstruct Hartford St.	15,500.00			15,500.00		263.73		15,236.27
Install of Flash Lights-School Crossings	13,840.00			13,840.00				13,840.00
Install Traf. Con. Devices-Union At LMH	11,500.00			11,500.00				11,500.00
Install Traf. Sig. at Speen, Mill & Pond	11,500.00			11,500.00				11,500.00
Install School Traf. Wn. Lights	21,100.00			21,100.00				21,100.00
Traf. Imp. Intersection Bacon & Oak	24,000.00			24,000.00		14,965.00		9,035.00
Street Lighting	129,600.00			129,600.00		17,525.00		107,075.00
Park Meter Maint. - Sal & Wages	9,780.00	10,000.00		139,600.00		138,494.08	1,105.92	24,000.00
Park Meter Maint. - Expense	2,710.00	52.80		9,832.80		9,832.80		3,575.00
TOTALS FOR HIGHWAYS & BRIDGES	850,209.00	23,052.80		2,710.00		2,361.46		348.54
				1,033,626.19		747,011.76		228,542.78
RECREATION:								
Recreation - Sal & Wages	213,229.00			213,229.00		211,679.14		1,549.86
Recreation - Expense	30,080.00	3,200.33		33,280.33		33,233.57		46.76
Recreation - '74-'75				1,768.85		1,760.35		8.50
Recreation - Custodian of Sch. Bldg.		353.16		12,353.16		12,352.47		.69
Recreation - Fee Subsidized Program	34,210.00			34,210.00		31,837.92		2,372.08
Recreation - " Resident Camping	10,950.00			10,495.00		9,193.00		1,302.00
Recreation - Program for Handicapped	11,527.00			11,527.00		11,420.11		106.89
Recreation - " Retarded	13,380.00			13,380.00		13,373.80		6.20
Recreation - Imp. to Johnson Sch. Plgrd.	6,522.41			6,522.41				6,522.41
Recreation - Repairs to Mem. Beach Bthse	153.36			153.36				153.36
Recreation- Study & Plans for Imp. Mem.Bh.	235.15			235.15				235.15
Recreation- Maint of So. Natick Bur. Grd.	237.25			237.25				237.25
Recreation- Purchase Land	1.00			1.00				1.00
Recreation- " Acts of 1962	1.00			1.00				1.00
Recreation- Install & Opr.Blfd Lts.Mem. School	36,600.00			36,600.00		25,352.26		11,247.74
Develop Pegan Cove Park	3,100.00			3,100.00		843.66		2,256.34
TOTAL RECREATION	364,621.00	3,553.49		377,093.51		351,046.28	5,392.98	20,654.25
VETERANS SERVICES:								
Veterans Services-Sal & Wages	26,426.00			26,426.00		26,027.20		398.80
Veterans Services-Expense	2,920.00			2,920.00		2,815.48		69.93
Veterans Benefits	166,500.00	2,151.15		168,651.15		87,274.82		81,278.33
TOTALS FOR VETERANS	195,846.00	2,151.15		197,997.15		116,117.50		132.59
CHARITIES:								
John B. Walcott Interest Acct.	12,363.50			17,191.60		2,521.61		14,669.99
Sally Spaulding Interest Acct.	220.25			220.25				220.25
Maria Hayes Interest Acct.	220.72			220.72				220.72
TOTAL CHARITIES	12,804.47			17,632.57		2,521.61		15,110.96
EDUCATION:								
School - Sal & Wages	8,822,588.00			8,828,156.22		8,325,521.55		300,241.70
School - Sal & Wages-'74-'75		5,568.22		303,150.87		303,150.87		
School - Sal & Wages O.T. School Cust.	4,479.88			4,479.88		4,479.88		
School - Administration	65,378.00	60.95		65,438.95		61,474.03		988.72
School - " '74-'75				1,439.66		1,361.89		10,500.00
School - Instruction	417,942.00	11.30		417,953.30		397,021.36		2,276.51
School - " '74-'75				14,545.98		14,307.11		
School - Other School Services	90,000.00			90,000.00		87,723.49		2,276.51
School - " " '74-'75				2,950.00		2,937.00		13.00
School - " " " Transportation	375,000.00			375,000.00		371,798.06		3,201.94
School - Oper & Maint of Plant	815,400.00	360.01		815,760.01		669,643.54		48,862.56
School - " " " '74-'75				4,510.00		4,510.00		

School - Fixed Charges	250.00			250.00	245.00	5.00	
School - Community Services	48,900.00			48,900.00	22,900.00		
School - Acquisition of Fixed Assets	5,000.00			5,000.00	4,267.89	82.11	650.00
School - Program With Others	1,864.96	1,864.96		1,864.96	1,751.68	113.28	
School - Vision In Action	192,000.00	68,000.00		260,000.00	244,854.12	10,145.88	5,000.00
School - Replace Kennedy Roof		184.48		5,526.42	5,297.73	228.69	
School - Athletic Revolving Fund				2.00			2.00
School - Textbooks & Materials				12,690.00	561,125.94		12,690.00
U.S. Fed Aid to Schools PL874		553,151.38		612,831.76	9,166.10		51,705.82
U.S. Fed Aid to Schools PL89-10		8,940.00		9,411.27			245.17
U.S. Fed Aid to Schools PL864		570.42		2,089.36			2,089.36
U.S. Fed Aid to Schools PL92-318		97,228.63		232,412.44	86,120.82		1,6,891.62
U.S. Fed Aid to Schools PL91-230		98,728.00		99,723.01	74,752.53		24,870.48
U.S. Fed Aid to Schools PL89-313		1,985.76		7,700.56	2,095.00		5,605.56
ESEA Title II Libraries		10,000.00		8,267.66	9,481.29		786.37
Special Education Grant (Ch 766)		3,200.00		10,000.00	9,724.32		275.68
Racial Imbalance		9,875.48		3,200.00	3,200.00		
Indochinese Child. Assistance		81,042.00		22.16	9,585.69		13.08
		300.00		176,007.87	20.10		2.08
TOTAL FOR EDUCATION	10,836,937.88	939,206.63		12,429,483.11	11,376,908.27	68,000.00	702,615.22
LIBRARIES:							
Morse Institute - Sal & Wages	204,932.00			204,932.00	193,360.34	11,571.66	
Morse Institute - Expense	63,798.00	328.46		64,126.46	64,126.19	.27	7,795.15
Morse Institute - Additional Book Stocks				7,795.15			
Bacon Free Library Maintenance	12,700.00			12,700.00	12,567.28	132.72	
TOTAL FOR LIBRARIES	281,430.00	328.46		289,553.61	270,053.81	11,704.65	7,795.15
PENSIONS:							
Non-Contributory Pensions	233,650.00			236,330.00	236,329.62	.38	
Non-Contributory Annuities	2,550.00	2,680.00		2,550.00	2,415.36	134.64	
Contributory Ret. Sys. Adm. Expense	15,514.00			15,514.00	15,514.00		
Contributory Ret. Sys. Pensions	491,978.00			491,978.00	491,978.00		
TOTAL FOR PENSIONS	743,692.00	2,680.00		746,372.98	746,236.98	135.02	
UNCLASSIFIED:							
Memorial Day	3,165.00			3,165.00	3,008.02	156.98	
Memorial Day- '74- '75				35.00	35.00		
Veterans Day	1,015.00			1,015.00	930.00	85.00	
Care of Veterans Grave	506.00			506.00	495.16	10.84	
Town Clock Maintenance	300.00			300.00	45.76	254.24	
Printing Town Report	7,200.00			7,200.00	6,168.30	1,031.70	
Reserve Fund	200,000.00			200,000.00	90,102.14	90,102.14	
Blanket Property Insurance	37,275.00			37,275.00	4,892.87		
Workmens Compensation Insurance	76,288.90	1,695.00		77,983.00	196.00		
Workmens Compensation Insurance- '74- '75				7,573.04			
Motor Vehicle Insurance	32,700.00			32,700.00	77,787.00	583.88	
Public Liability Insurance	13,250.00	3,757.00		17,007.00	32,116.12	3,757.00	
Contributory Group General Ins.	347,700.00	6,098.56		353,798.56	13,250.00	962.43	
Rental of Veterans Quarters	2,400.00			2,400.00	352,836.13	1,200.00	
Council on Aging-Sal & Wages	14,885.00			14,885.00	1,200.00	457.95	
Council on Aging- Expense	10,120.00	96.60		10,216.60	14,427.05	1,281.94	11.30
Historical Commission	450.00			450.00	8,923.36		
					394.50	55.50	

Writing Town History	2,100.00	11,647.16	2,100.00	553,671.57	105,028.47	11.30
TOTAL UNCLASSIFIED	749,354.00		768,609.20			
PUBLIC SERVICE ENTERPRISE:						
FWD Water - Sal & Wages	179,643.00		179,643.00	179,245.44	397.56	
FWD Water - Expense	112,700.00	5,100.00	117,800.00	117,616.11	183.89	
FWD Water - Repair Wells-'74-'75			25,822.00	25,547.00	275.00	
FWD Water - Construct Well-Cypress Rd.	25,822.00		40,596.38	40,596.38		17,700.00
FWD Water - Extend Mains-Gochituate ST. Pk	17,700.00		17,700.00			
FWD Water - Extend Mains-Bacon ST.	40,469.49		40,469.49	14,329.31	26,140.18	
FWD Water - Extend Mains-Windsor Ave	11,261.44		11,261.44	1,946.00	40.29	
FWD Water - Extend Mains-Chryslers Rd	16,263.22		16,263.22	12,155.23		
FWD Water - Construct Well-Cypress Rd.	1,434.16		1,434.16	1,434.16		
FWD Water - Extend Mains-Oakhill Rd	8,739.08		8,739.08	3,540.00	5,199.08	11,261.44
FWD Water - Extend Mains-Sylvia Ave	23,179.93		23,179.93	10,860.00	12,319.93	4,107.99
FWD Water - Extend Mains-Hillcrest & Pinewd						
TOTAL PUBLIC SERVICE ENTERPRISE	292,343.00	5,100.00	484,894.99	407,269.63	44,555.93	33,069.43
INTEREST:						
Anticipation of Serial Issue	3,370.37		3,370.37	3,370.37		
General Purpose Loans	20,400.00		295,001.00	294,999.25	1.75	
Water Loans	11,388.00		11,388.00	11,387.50	.50	
TOTAL FOR INTEREST	23,770.37		309,759.37	309,757.12	2.25	
MUNICIPAL INDEBTEDNESS:						
Temp. Loan Anticipation & Serial Issue	200,000.00		200,000.00	200,000.00		
Maturing General Debt	825,300.00		825,300.00	825,300.00		
Maturing Water Debt	80,000.00		80,000.00	80,000.00		
TOTAL FOR MUNICIPAL INDEBTEDNESS	1,105,300.00		1,105,300.00			
STATE & COUNTY CHARGES:						
Middlesex County Tax-'75-'76	623,451.75		623,451.75	632,890.31	80,335.71	* 9,438.56
Middlesex County Tax-'74-'75	2,680.35		80,335.71	2,680.35		* 6,453.06
Motor Vehicle Excise Tax Bills 1975	209,481.00		209,481.00	215,934.06	9,660.25	* 1,472.39
Met. Area Sewer Loan - '75-'76	9,660.25		9,660.25			8,018.04
Met. Area Sewer Loan - '74-'75	139,886.00		139,886.00	141,358.39	1,436.82	
State Recreation Areas-'75-'76	1,436.82		388,865.00	1,436.82		
State Recreation Areas-'74-'75	784.57		784.57	380,846.96	784.57	
META - '75-'76			4,658.55			
META - '74-'75						
Met. Area Planning Council 1975						
Met. Area Planning Council 1974	* 1,806.81		4,658.55			
Met. Area Planning Council 1973	.01		.01			.01
Met. Air Pollution Control Dist. '75-'76	2,830.24		2,830.24	2,084.04	560.26	746.20
Met. Air Pollution Control Dist. '74	560.26		560.26			
Met. Air Pollution Control Dist. '74	44,789.00		44,789.00			44,789.00
Special Education (CH 766) 1975-'76	3,271.00		3,271.00	2,801.00	3,271.00	
Special Education (CH 766) 1974-'75	2,801.00		2,801.00			
Elderly Retiree Program 1975	390.60		390.60	390.60		
State Examination of Ret. System						
TOTAL FOR STATE & COUNTY CHARGES	1,421,640.30		1,515,882.11	1,383,644.26	96,048.61	36,189.24
AGENCY & TRUST FUNDS:						
Dog Licenses Due County	1,253.95		5,510.15	4,541.35		968.80
Sale of Dogs Due County	72.00		288.00	249.00		39.00
Sport Licenses Due State	607.00		15,386.50	15,386.50		
Beverage Licenses Due State			10.00	10.00		
Dog Licenses From County 1975			2,982.95		2,982.95	
Dog Licenses From County 1973			.96		.96	
State Aid For Libraries	11,646.38		23,292.76	23,292.76		
CH 768 Acts of 1969 Highway Fund	16,919.31		16,919.31	16,919.31		

CH 825 Acts of 1974 Highway Fund	51,750.00	103,500.00	103,500.00
Special Duty Revolving Fund	2,377.60	50,425.95	45,909.45
Contributory Group Gen Ins. Employees	50,076.91	389,018.02	309,509.24
Federal Withholding Taxes	684.05	1,945,119.93	1,944,435.88
State Withholding Taxes	4,692.65	572,802.01	572,795.41
Tailings	7,665.21	7,665.21	
Postage Meter & Copy Machine	15.63	397.27	411.61
Natick Handicapped Fund	374.41	403.80	397.80
Proceeds Insurance Claims		5,125.08	2,890.87
Group Insurance Trust Fund	71,767.50	72,244.57	70,909.06
Deposit on Bids	100.00	100.00	
Council on Aging Grant		2,400.00	936.60
Bicentennial Grant	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00
Due Contributory Ret. System		2,668.00	2,668.00
Teachers Retirement Refund		562.18	562.18
Premium on Loans	1,476.00	1,476.00	1,476.00
Due From Stabilization Fund	308.85	308.85	308.85
TOTAL FOR AGENCY & TRUST FUNDS	220,972.30	3,219,978.91	2,974,309.80
		152,569.46	93,099.65
CASH REFUNDS:			
Real Estate-			
Levy of 1973	15,293.50	15,293.50	15,293.50
Levy of 1974	8,553.67	8,553.67	8,553.67
Levy of 1974-75	20,787.44	20,787.44	20,787.44
Levy of 1975-76	50,296.80	50,296.80	50,296.80
Personal Property-			
Levy of 1975-76	307.45	307.45	307.45
Motor Vehicle-			
Levy of 1972	29.90	29.90	29.90
Levy of 1973	836.20	836.20	836.20
Levy of 1974	3,106.36	3,106.36	3,106.36
Levy of 1975	13,048.81	13,048.81	13,048.81
Levy of 1976	3,997.96	3,997.96	3,997.96
Other-			
Water Rate & Sewer Rentals	207.00	207.00	207.00
Water Miscellaneous (Relay)	62.90	62.90	62.90
PWD - Miscellaneous Guarantee	200.00	200.00	200.00
Recreation - Fee Subsidized	382.25	382.25	382.25
Surplus Revenue	320.00	320.00	320.00
School	45.00	45.00	45.00
Health Dump Permits	447.15	447.15	447.15
TOTAL FOR CASH REFUNDS	117,922.39	117,922.39	117,922.39
CASH INVESTMENTS:			
Revenue			
Non- Revenue	8,191,916.25	8,191,916.25	8,191,916.25
Federal Revenue Sharing	200,000.00	200,000.00	200,000.00
TOTAL FOR CASH INVESTMENTS	8,391,916.25	8,391,916.25	8,391,916.25
GRAND TOTALS:	1,790,549.28	19,806,777.04	1,790,549.28

	July 1, 1975 Balances	Appropriations	BREAKDOWN Loans, Trans- fers & other Credits	Totals	Expended on Selectmen's Warrants	Debit Trans- fers & Other Charges	Unexpended Bal. Closed to Revenue	Balances Forward & Overdrafts
General Government	150,885.92	1,066,234.96	253,771.93	1,470,892.81	1,207,408.80		55,912.33	207,571.68
Protection of Persons & Property	10,365.32	2,529,623.20	8,068.48	2,548,057.00	2,472,190.16		68,333.00	7,533.84
Health and Sanitation	275,802.27	705,197.00	786,630.00	1,767,629.27	1,182,225.71	1,135.00	26,199.55	558,043.01
Highways and Bridges	160,364.39	850,209.00	23,052.80	1,033,626.19	747,011.76	10,000.00	48,071.65	228,542.78
Recreation	8,919.02	364,621.00	3,553.49	377,093.51	351,046.28		5,392.98	20,654.25
Veterans		195,846.00	2,151.15	197,997.15	116,117.50		81,747.06	132.59
Charities	12,804.47		4,828.10	17,632.57	2,521.61			15,110.96
Education	653,338.60	10,836,937.88	939,206.63	12,429,483.11	11,376,908.27	68,000.00	281,959.62	702,615.22
Libraries	7,795.15	281,430.00	328.46	289,553.61	270,053.81		11,704.65	7,795.15
Pensions		743,692.00	2,680.00	746,372.00	746,236.98		135.02	
Unclassified	7,608.04	749,354.00	11,647.16	768,609.20	553,671.57	109,897.86	105,028.47	11.30
Public Enterprise	187,451.99	292,343.00	5,100.00	484,894.99	407,269.63		44,555.93	33,069.43
Interest		285,989.00	23,770.37	309,759.37	309,757.12		2.25	
Municipal Indebtedness		905,300.00	200,000.00	1,105,300.00	1,105,300.00			
State and County Charges	94,241.81		1,421,640.30	1,515,882.11	1,383,644.26	96,048.61		36,189.24
Agency and Trust Funds	220,972.30		2,999,006.61	3,219,978.91	2,974,309.80	152,569.46		93,099.65
Cash Refunds			117,922.39	117,922.39	117,922.39			
Cash Investments			8,620,916.25	8,620,916.25	8,620,916.25			
GRAND TOTALS	1,790,549.28	19,806,777.04	15,424,274.12	37,021,600.44	33,944,537.90	437,650.93	729,042.51	1,910,369.10

1975 - 1976 ESTIMATED RECEIPTS

Used by Assessors

\$ 4,951,668.27

State Lottery	82,334.39
State Highway Fund	74,700.13
Chapter 58	141,031.42
Dept. of Corp. & Taxation-Local Assessment	61,841.20
MDC Water	408.89
In Lieu of Taxes - Vets	3,708.05
In Lieu of Taxes - Widows	8,925.00
In Lieu of Taxes - Blind	1,487.50
In Lieu of Taxes - State Properties	1,242.72
Civil Rights	100.00
Chapter 766	450,664.26
Tuition & Trans. State Wards	5,947.55
School Trans. State	199,222.00
School Chapter 70	1,544,592.20
School Chapter 69 & 71	33,614.44
School Chapter 74	55,168.00
School Construction Aid	158,209.53
Gas Tax Refund	155.85
Motor Vehicle Excise - Net	1,115,971.67
Licenses & Permits - Net	37,289.92
Court Fines	12,476.27
Special Assessments - Net	193,233.38
General Government	24,068.55
Protection of Life & Property	9,475.19
Health & Sanitation - Net	32,159.30
Highways	49.40
Veterans Benefits	65,666.72
Seabury Rent	4,279.17
Court Rent	12,731.00
School Miscellaneous	86,244.02
Recreation	53,050.35
Interest on Cash Investments	126,936.36
Interest on Loan	25.83
Interest on Taxes & Assessments	41,652.84
Veterans Liens	2,779.40
July Fourth Receipts	3,957.98
Various Telephone	900.43
Interest & Release Tax Title Redemption	6,567.79
Special Duty Service Charge	701.00
Bldg. Inspector Mileage Refund	250.05
Council on Aging Activities	2,703.01
Various Miscellaneous	2,576.77
Cherry Sheet Offsets	152,364.78
Deficiency in Receipts Closed to Revenue	140,203.96
	<u>\$ 4,951,668.27</u>

WATER ESTIMATED RECEIPTS

Estimate Used by Assessors		Water Rates - Net	\$ 331,205.20
Excess Collections to Surplus	\$ 349,165.00	Water Liens Added to Taxes-Net	13,255.10
	20,187.89	Water Misc. Added to Taxes	531.15
		Water Miscellaneous	19,044.40
		Summons	1,324.80
		Unexpended Appropriation Balances	3,992.24
	<u>\$ 369,352.89</u>		<u>\$ 369,352.89</u>

SEWER ESTIMATED RECEIPTS

Estimate Used By Assessors		Sewer Rentals - Net	\$ 207,699.59
Excess Collections to Surplus	\$ 206,120.00	Sewer Rentals Added to Taxes-Net	11,012.92
	23,648.50	Sewer Miscellaneous	6,543.75
		Unexpended Appropriation Balances	4,512.24
	<u>\$ 229,768.50</u>		<u>\$ 229,768.50</u>

WATER SURPLUS REVENUE

Voted Article 14 ATM	\$ 20,943.25	Balance July 1, 1975	\$ 20,943.25
		Excess 1975-76 Receipts	20,187.89
		Total Credits	<u>41,131.14</u>
		Less Debit	20,943.25
		Balance June 30, 1976	<u>20,187.89</u>

SEWER SURPLUS REVENUE

Voted Article 5 ATM	19,288.18	Balance July 1, 1975	\$ 19,288.18
		Excess 1975-76 Receipts	23,648.50
		Total Credits	<u>42,936.68</u>
		Less Debit	19,288.18
		Balance June 30, 1976	<u>23,648.50</u>

REVENUE ACCOUNT - 1975 -1976

\$19,649,537.01	Available Funds Used by ATM 1975	\$1,885,578.07
38,700.00	" " " STM#6-9/9/75	500,000.00
15,000.00	" " " ART 33ATM'75	180,000.00
23,540.03	Personal Property Commitment	575,517.80
152,364.78	Real Estate Commitment	13,336,980.80
2,668.00	Estimated Receipts Used By Assessors:	
796,381.74	General 4,951,668.27	
1,806.81	Water 349,165.00	
623,451.75	Sewer 206,120.00	5,506,953.27
596,398.63	1974-75 Overestimates	96,048.61
80,000.00	Available Funds Used BySTM#7-11/18/75	80,000.00
	Unexpended Approp. Balances	683,386.08
180,000.00		
140,203.96		
544,411.92		
<u>\$22,844,464.63</u>		<u>\$22,844,464.63</u>

Appropriations Voted by 1976ATM	
" " STM#4 6/3/75	
" " STM#5 6/3/75	
" " STM#6 9/ 9/75	
Cherry Sheet Offsets	
Due Contributory Ret. System	
State Estimated Liabilities	
1974-75 MAPC Underestimate	
County Tax Estimate	
Current Overlay	
Appropriation Voted STM#7 11/18/75	
Withdraw From Stabilization Fund	
Per ART 33 ATM 1975	
Est. Receipts Deficiency	
Excess Closed to Surplus Revenue	

SURPLUS REVENUE 1975 - 1976

\$1,567,832.00	Balance July 1, 1975	\$2,150,956.40
252.00	Tax Title Fedemptions	82,435.61
43,480.00	Chapter 90 Maintenance	6,000.00
335.00	Miscellaneous Refunds Prior Years	5,159.93
75.00	Close Out 1/1/73 Bal. In Tailings Acct.	5,873.48
353,455.37	Close Out Appropriation Balances	58,927.95
	School Workmens Comp. Settlement	325.71
	Unused Portion Free Cash	596,287.37
	Excess From Revenue Account	<u>544,411.92</u>
<u>\$1,965,429.37</u>		<u>\$3,450,378.37</u>
	TOTAL DEBITS	<u>1,965,429.37</u>
	LESS DEBITS	<u>\$1,484,949.00</u>

TOWN OF NATICK

BALANCE SHEET - JUNE 30, 1976

GENERAL ACCOUNTS

ASSETS

Cash:
General 4,304,171.80
Revenue Cash invested 503,657.20
Non-Revenue Cash invested 200,000.00
Federal Revenue Sharing Fund

Petty Cash Advances:

Town Collector 250.00
PWD Administration 75.00
Town Clerk 50.00
Finance Committee 50.00
Recreation 200.00
Building Department 50.00
Board of Health 35.00
Council on Aging 80.00

Accounts Receivable:

Taxes-
Levy of 1932-1950 Real Estate

" " 1951 Real Estate 985.74
" " " 177.84
" " " 307.20
" " " 132.50
" " " 157.68
" " " 175.50
" " " 243.75
" " " 205.72
" " " 245.10
" " " 540.00
" " " 519.75
" " " 468.60
" " " 592.95
" " " 584.80
" " " 672.60
" " " 492.85
" " " 563.50
" " " 872.90
" " " 878.60
" " " 946.95
" " " 2,357.03
" " " 3,823.35
" " " 7,822.05

Personal Property 2,620.70
Real Estate 26,331.31
Levy of 1974 (1st 6 months) 28,952.01
Personal Property 441.60
Real Estate 4,647.00
Levy of 1974-1975 3,851.00
Personal Property 127,659.90
Real Estate 131,510.90

LIABILITIES

Overpayments:

General Property Tax 1971 224.80
Sewer House Com. Added to Taxes 1972 52.76
Street Betterments Added to Taxes 1975-76 181.24
Street Betterments Added to Taxes 1973 58.38
Water Betterments Added to Taxes 1975-76 133.11
Unapportioned Sewer Betterments 14,808.09
Motor Vehicle Excise 1972 330.93
Unapportioned Sidewalk Betterments 33.50
Sewer Rental Added to Taxes 1973 66.80
" " " 1972 19.00
" " " 1971 .60
Water Liens Added to Taxes 1973 210.50
" " " 1972 444.40
" " " 1971 66.10
" " " 1969 32.55
Water Misc. Added to Taxes 1973 228.60

Guarantee Deposits:

PWD Miscellaneous 3,010.00

Agency:

Dog Licenses Due County 968.80
Sale of Dogs " 39.00
Proceeds Insurance Claim 2,234.21
Contributory Group Ins. - Employees 79,508.78
Federal Withholding Taxes 684.05
Massachusetts Withholding Taxes 6.60
Deposit on Bids 100.00
Group Insurance Trust Fund 1,332.51

Tailings:

1,791.73

Trust Fund Income:

John B. Walcott - Interest 14,669.99
Maria Hayes - Interest 220.72
Sally Spaulding - Interest 220.25
Henry Wilson Shop Maint. Fund - Interest 1,267.39

Federal Grants:

Aid to Schools 146,291.62
Public Law #874 24,970.48
Public Law #89-10 5,605.56
Public Law #864 786.37
Public Law #92-318 275.68
Public Law #91-230 13.08
ESEA Title II Libraries 300.00
Indochinese Childrens Assist. Program
State Grants:
Racial Imbalance 85,916.59

178,242.79

Rates		20,660.79
Liens Added to Taxes 1970		32.75
" " " 1974-1975		2,491.59
" " " 1975-1976		1,997.21
Relays " " 1971		291.40
" " " 1973		324.80
Misc. " " 1971		61.10
" " " 1975-1976		61.20
Miscellaneous		6,454.25
		32,314.09
Underestimates		
Middlesex County Tax 1975-1976		9,438.56
Metropolitan Area Sewer Loan 1975-1976		6,453.06
State Recreation Area 1975-1976		1,472.39
		17,364.01
Due for Copies and Postage		14.34
Federal Revenue Sharing Fund		448,421.20
Loans Authorized		3,986,000.00
Revenue Account 1976-1977		20,345,432.23
Overdraft Town's Share		
Group Ins. Premium		236.01
Special Assessment Revenue		1,088.75

31,436,353.11

TOWN OF NATICK
Balance Sheet - June 30, 1976
Deferred Revenue Accounts

Apportioned Sewer Assessment - Not Due	\$ 811,166.21	Apportioned Sewer Assessment Revenue	\$ 1,976.30*
" " House Conn. Assessments -Not Due	17.99**	Due in 1970	1,91.47
" Sidewalk Assessments - Not Due	16,817.27	1971	1,204.31
" Street Assessments - Not Due	9,010.63	1972	1,870.03
" Water Assessments - Not Due	2,839.77	1973	1,837.28
		1974	2,662.65
		1975	130,019.93
		1976	126,121.04
		1977	113,715.97
		1978	112,614.95
		1979	110,387.56
		1980	99,332.31
		1981	27,098.10
		1982	9,943.44
		1983	9,258.32
		1984	9,194.73
		1985	9,194.73
		1986	9,194.73
		1987	9,043.48
		1988	8,978.42
		1989	8,978.42
		1990	7,882.51
		1991	4,588.05
		1992	113.02
		Apportioned Sewer House Conn. Assessments Revenue	\$ 811,166.21
		Due in 1974	530.47*
		1975	241.13
		1976	232.75
		1977	19.30
		1978	19.30
		Apportioned Sidewalk Assessment Revenue	17.99**
		Due in 1966	6.53*
		1968	.61
		1970	80.45
		1971	2.45*
		1972	11.32*

1973	2.18*
1974	22.01*
1975	2,207.45
1976	2,275.51
1977	2,130.08
1978	2,127.89
1979	1,937.56
1980	1,789.75
1981	1,749.58
1982	770.59
1983	697.39
1984	550.58
1985	450.48
1986	15.64
1987	15.64
1988	15.64
1989	15.64
1990	15.64
1991	15.64
Apportioned	
Due in 1974	5.09
1975	1,632.29
1976	1,337.41
1977	1,337.41
1978	1,337.41
1979	1,182.47
1980	435.71
1981	435.71
1982	435.71
1983	435.71
1984	435.71
Apportioned	
Due in 1975	555.31
1976	470.38
1977	470.38
1978	470.38
1979	447.74
1980	141.86
Street Assessment Revenue	
1973	2.18*
1974	22.01*
1975	2,207.45
1976	2,275.51
1977	2,130.08
1978	2,127.89
1979	1,937.56
1980	1,789.75
1981	1,749.58
1982	770.59
1983	697.39
1984	550.58
1985	450.48
1986	15.64
1987	15.64
1988	15.64
1989	15.64
1990	15.64
1991	15.64
Water Assessment Revenue	
1973	2.18*
1974	22.01*
1975	2,207.45
1976	2,275.51
1977	2,130.08
1978	2,127.89
1979	1,937.56
1980	1,789.75
1981	1,749.58
1982	770.59
1983	697.39
1984	550.58
1985	450.48
1986	15.64
1987	15.64
1988	15.64
1989	15.64
1990	15.64
1991	15.64

16,817.27

9,010.63

1981 141.86
1982 141.86

2,839.77

839,815.89

* Debit Balance
** Credit Balance

\$ 839,815.89

TOWN OF NATICK
Balance Sheet - June 30, 1976
Debt Accounts

Net Funded or Fixed Debt:			
Inside Debt Limit -			
General			
Outside Debt Limit -			
School	2,785,000.00		
Water	265,000.00		
Serial Loans:			
Inside Debt Limit			
Sewer	\$1,489,200.00		
Hospital	2,695,000.00		
			4,184,200.00
Outside Debt Limit -			
Schools	2,785,000.00		
Public Service Enterprise:			
Water	265,000.00		
			3,050,000.00
			<u>\$7,234,200.00</u>

TRUST INVESTMENT & RETIREMENT ACCOUNTS

Trust & Investment Funds:			
In Custody of Town Treasurer			
In Custody of Boston Safe Deposit & Trust Co.	\$ 172,584.66	In Custody of Town Treasurer:	\$
In Custody of Library Trustees	1,466,156.10	Bicentennial Celebration Fund	2,855.59
In Custody of Hospital Trustees	157,307.00	Conservation Commission Fund	22,462.08
	28,000.00	Stabilization Fund	39,977.86
		John B. Walcott Charity Fund	58,253.78
		John B. Walcott Invested Interest Fund	15,000.00
		Maria Hayes Town Hall Fund	14,815.54
		Henry Wilson Shop Maintenance Fund	1,265.57
		Sally Spaulding Welfare Fund	500.00
		Maria Hayes Welfare Fund	500.00
Retirement Funds:		Cemetery Perpetual Care Funds:	
In Custody of Town Treasurer	3,349,183.30	George H.J. Beckman	631.23
		Abraham Bigelow	100.00
		Edward B. Bigelow	105.77
		George N. Cobb	100.00
		W. L. Coolidge	5,796.63
		William Crosby	216.86
		Collins Morse Estate	9,057.85
		James Nagle & Michael Fox	201.09
		Thomas D. Smith	80.40
		John W. Walcott	664.41
			172,584.66
		In Custody of Boston Safe Deposit & Trust Co.:	
		Samuel G. Chickering Hospital Fund	1,455,419.19
		Nellie L. Leamy Hospital Fund	10,736.91
			1,466,156.10
		In Custody of Library Trustees:	
		Morse Institute General Book Fund	81,037.00
		John O. Wilson Library Fund	8,842.00
		Blanche G. Harwood Library Fund	44,074.00
		Nellie L. Lemy Library Fund	22,781.00
		John A. Donahue Library Fund	353.00
		Herbert Billings Rose Library Fund	220.00
			157,307.00
		In Custody of Hospital Trustees:	
		Mr. & Mrs. Alex Blaney Fund	15,000.00
		Edgar S. Hayes Fund	5,000.00
		Edward Lyons Fund	5,000.00
		Elizabeth Rice Fund	3,000.00
			28,000.00
		Municipal Contributory Retirement Fund:	
		Cash	10,819.93

Bonds -	
U.S. Government	30,000.00
Telephone Companies	591,450.93
Public Service Companies	1,316,677.27
Industrial Companies	188,699.38
Capital Notes	37,293.40
Federal Agency Notes	769,783.15
Common Stocks - Banks	342,637.00
Savings Banks	20,020.00
Accrued Interest on Bonds	41,802.24
	3,349,183.30
	5,173,231.06

5,173,231.06

DEBT STATEMENT

<u>Purpose of Loan</u>	<u>Year Issued</u>	<u>Rate of Int.</u>	<u>Outstand- ing June 30, 1975</u>	<u>Added 7/1/75 to 6/30/76</u>	<u>Paid 7/1/75 to 6/30/76</u>	<u>Outstand- ing June 30, 1976</u>	<u>Principal Due 7/1/76 to 6/30/77</u>	<u>Interest Due 7/1/76 to 6/30/77</u>	<u>Maturity</u>
Sewer Mains-Pelham-Worcester	1952	2.10	88,000		11,000	77,000	11,000	1,501.50	1982
Stratford-No. Main Sewer	1961	3.30	60,000		10,000	50,000	10,000	1,485.00	1980
Kennedy Jr. High School	*1963	3.00	800,000		100,000	700,000	100,000	19,500.00	1982
Water Storage Facility-Bacon	*1965	3.30	125,000		25,000	100,000	20,000	2,970.00	1980
High School Addition	*1965	3.30	1,240,000		120,000	1,120,000	120,000	34,980.00	1985
Water Storage Facility-Union	*1967	3.50	195,000		30,000	165,000	30,000	5,775.00	1982
Sewer Mains-Farwell	1967	3.50	50,000		25,000	25,000	25,000	875.00	1977
L.M. Hospital-#1	1967	4.20	1,920,000		150,000	1,770,000	150,000	71,190.00	1987
E. Natick Sewer#1	1967	4.20	290,000		100,000	190,000	100,000	5,880.00	1977
South Natick School	*1968	4.50	1,040,000		75,000	965,000	75,000	41,737.50	1988
L.M. Hospital #2	1968	4.50	1,000,000		75,000	925,000	75,000	39,937.50	1988
E. Natick Sewer#2	1968	4.50	360,000		90,000	270,000	90,000	10,125.00	1978
Sewer Mains-Craigie Street	1969	5.50	46,500		9,300	37,200	9,300	1,790.25	1979
Sewer Mains-West Natick	1970	5.70	300,000		60,000	240,000	60,000	11,970.00	1979
Waterwell-Cypress Street	*1972	3.40	25,000		25,000				1976
Northeast Natick Sewer	1975	6.80		600,000	---	600,000	30,000	39,780.00	1995
			<u>7,539,500</u>	<u>600,000</u>	<u>905,300</u>	<u>7,234,200</u>	<u>905,300</u>	<u>289,496.75</u>	
Inside Debt Limit			4,114,500	600,000	530,300	4,184,200	560,300	184,534.25	
*Outside Debt Limit			3,425,000		375,000	3,050,000	345,000	104,962.50	

14 EAST CENTRAL STREET
NATICK, MASS. 01760

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GENERAL BOOK FUND OPERATING ACCOUNT

Cash on hand January 1, 1976		\$14,180.43
Income from:		
Fines	\$4,022.07	
Card Clips	43.80	
Lost Books	187.09	
Other	2,278.28	
Three Outstanding checks	113.90	
Contributions & Gifts	511.63	
Transferred From Trustee's Fund	<u>6,922.41</u>	
Total Income		<u>14,079.18</u>
		\$28,259.61
Expenses:		
American Library Association		
Conference - Delegate	374.02	
Library Meetings	56.50	
Books	11,742.17	
Encyclopedias	221.90	
Directories	49.50	
Subscriptions	2,877.94	
Refunds on Lost Books	3.49	
Card Clips	113.09	
Supplies	157.59	
Postage	69.85	
Other (\$7500 N.E.Merchants Investment)	<u>8,102.39</u>	<u>23,768.44</u>
Cash on hand December 31, 1976		\$4,491.17

JOHN O. WILSON OPERATING ACCOUNT

Cash on hand January 1, 1976		\$4,127.79
Income from:		
Fines	\$1,333.71	
Card Clips	44.40	
Lost Books	283.30	
Transferred From Trustee's Fund	<u>743.53</u>	<u>2,404.94</u>
		\$6,532.73
Expenses:		
Books	3,689.76	
Refunds	31.14	
Supplies	64.23	
Other	<u>126.93</u>	<u>3,912.06</u>
Cash on hand December 31, 1976		\$2,620.67

DECEMBER 31, 1976

		<u>Market</u>	<u>Value</u>	
C7-337-1	<u>GENERAL BOOK FUND</u>			
	222 shs American Express	40.63	\$ 9,020	
	50 shs Bristol Myers	68.38	3,419	
	100 shs Cabot Cabot & Forbes Land Trust	3.38	338	
	84 shs Exxon Corp.	53.63	4,505	
	300 shs First National Boston Corporation	24.50	7,350	
	200 shs Gulf Oil	28.88	5,776	
	100 shs International Tel & Tel	33.88	3,388	
	159 shs New England Electric System	23.00	3,657	
	476 shs Manufacturers Hanover Corp.	39.25	18,683	
	100 shs State Street Boston Financial Corp.	27.25	2,725	
	102 shs Union Carbide	61.88	6,312	
	\$5,000 Pacific Gas & Electric 4½% (6-1-90)	71.50	3,575	
	\$5,000 U.S. Treas. 4½% (8-15-92)	84.94	4,247	
	Natick Five Cents Savings Bank		5,007	
	Natick Federal Savings and Loan		5,000	
	Prunaret Savings Account at The First		278	
	National Bank of Boston			
	New England Merchants Bank		1,001	
	Guaranty-First Trust Company Term			
	Deposit CTF 5.5% 2/15/77		<u>10,000</u>	\$ 94,281
C7-337-2	<u>JOHN O. WILSON FUND</u>			
	55 shs Bankers Trust New York Corp.	37.63	2,070	
	100 shs International Harvester	33.00	3,300	
	15 shs Penn Central	1.00	15	
	\$2,000 N.Y. Chi. & St. Louis RR	58.50	1,170	
	3% (4-1-86)			
	Natick Five Cents Savings Bank		1,199	
	New England Merchants Bank		<u>1,853</u>	9,607
C7-337-3	<u>BLANCHE G. HARWOOD FUND</u>			
	240 shs American Telephone & Telegraph	63.50	15,240	
	300 shs Boston Edison \$1.46 Preferred	15.13	4,539	
	10 shs Consolidated Edison Co. of N.Y. (Pfd.)	53.50	535	
	120 shs General Electric	55.38	6,646	
	240 shs J.P. Morgan & Co., Inc.	56.25	13,500	
	Community National Bank C of D 5 1/8%		5,000	
	1/26/77			
	Natick Five Cents Savings Bank		2,243	
	New England Merchants Bank		<u>526</u>	48,229
C7-337-4	<u>NELLIE L. LEAMY FUND</u>			
	266 shs Continental Ill. Corp.	58.00	15,428	
	40 shs E.I. Dupont DeNemours \$3.50 Pfd.	51.00	2,040	
	100 shs Union Pacific Corp.	102.50	10,250	
	\$4,000 U.S. Treasury 6½% (8-15-79)	101.34	4,054	
	Natick Five Cents Savings Bank		<u>173</u>	<u>31,945</u>
				\$184,062

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GENERAL BOOK FUND

Investment Account

Cash Balance December 31, 1975	\$ 564	
Investment Income	<u>4,761</u>	\$5,325
Transferred to Natick Trust	\$4,236	
Bank Custodian Fee	<u>626</u>	<u>4,862</u>
Balance December 31, 1976		\$ 463

JOHN O. WILSON FUND

Investment Account

Cash Balance December 31, 1975	\$ 0	
Investment Income	<u>744</u>	\$ 744
Transferred to Natick Trust		<u>744</u>
Balance December 31, 1976		\$ 0

BLANCHE G. HARWOOD FUND

Investment Account

Cash Balance December 31, 1975	\$ 219	
Investment Income	<u>2,415</u>	\$2,634
Transferred to Natick Trust		<u>2,524</u>
Balance December 31, 1976		\$ 110

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Investment Account

Cash Balance December 31, 1975	\$ 0	
Investment Income	<u>1,302</u>	\$1,302
Transferred to Natick Trust		<u>1,285</u>
Balance December 31, 1976		\$ 17

